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Headed the Right Way . . .

Workmen checks the huge bronze statue of Thomas Jefferson after it was turned around and prepared for hauling into the Memorial on the Tidal Basin. It arrived in Washington by truck headed the wrong direction for raising

New Jefferson Statue Rolled Into Rotunda

They moved the Thomas Jefferson statue into the rotunda of the Jefferson Memorial yesterday, after a bit of trouble.

Some of the trouble was that the statue, cast to replace a plaster figure which has stood in the rotunda since the dedication back in 1943, is bronze and weighs five tons.

More of the trouble was that when the statue was loaded on a truck Monday at Corona, Queens, N. Y., the head was placed in the wrong direction. Yesterday, the trucking company which brought it to Washington had to use facilities at the Pennsylvania freight yards to get the statue turned around. It has to be headed right so it can be lifted into place right end up.

Still more of the trouble was the trepidation of Those in Charge that the statue might not clear the space between two columns. The distance between these columns is 6 feet 9 inches. The statue is 6 feet 5½ inches wide. It cleared without nicking the marble.

The statue was moved up a ramp about 100 feet long from the truck at the rear of the memorial to the retunda itself. The moving was done by means of logs, which were used on a treadmill-pulley system to inch the huge piece of metal along.

All they have to do now is raise the statue into a vertical position, on the marble slab which already stands in the rotunda. This, also, will take a bit of doing, but the worst seems to be over.

Within the next couple of days, the statue memorializing the author of the Declaration of Independence is expected to be firmly in place.

Post Staff Photos

Head first, the new Jefferson statue is moved into the Memorial between columns at the entrance, with only inches to spare on either side

British Won't Require Loan Soon, Says Paper

London (Tuesday), April 22 (AP).—The Financial Times said today that while there was speculation concerning the possibility of another American loan to Britain the subject had not been raised even informally by either government.

"Proceeds of last year's loan are expected to last at least until 1948 so the need for another loan is not considered urgent," the Financial Times said in an article by its political correspondent.

The newspaper suggested that private loans might eventually supply some of the dollars needed by British economy.

2-Term Amendment Rejected by Texas

Austin, Tex., April 22 (U.P.).—Texas today became the second State to reject a proposed United States constitutional amendment to restrict presidential tenure to two terms as the House voted it down, 84-37.

The Democratic legislative body followed the Oklahoma Legislature which last week rejected the amendment.

Thirteen States have ratified the proposed amendment.

Counterfeiters Smashed

Rome, April 22 (AP).—The United States Army Criminal Investigation division said today it had smashed a huge counterfeiting organization which spread from Italy into France and had falsified dollars, U. S. Army scrip, and Austrian schillings. The Army arrested 13 men and women.

Senate Group Solid Behind D. C. Gun Bill

A stricter law on carrying of concealed weapons—long sought by Metropolitan Police—appeared headed for full approval on Capitol Hill yesterday.

The Senate District Committee unanimously indorsed a House measure giving police authority to search an individual suspected of carrying concealed weapons. Current law gives police that right only when they have a warrant.

Because the Senate group made no changes in the bill, a quick trip through the Senate to White House approval is expected.

Yesterday also saw unanimous indorsement of a bill providing $400,000 for planning a new Federal courts building here. The approval came from the House Public Works Committee and sends the measure to the House floor. Repreesntative J. Harry McGregor (R., Ohio), chairman of the subcommittee which prepared the bill, said he expected unanimous indorsement.

McGregor's public buildings subcommittee today will turn to plans for a new General Accounting Office building at 4th and G sts. nw. The session will be held at 10 a. m. in Room 1435, new House Office Building.

The Senate District Committee yesterday also approved three other bills:

1. Allowing Juvenile Court to turn over juveniles to regular courts for trial in cases where the penalty for an adult would be life imprisonment or death.

2. Allowing removal of the stone piers which slow traffic, on W. Executive ave., at Pennsylvania ave. nw.

3. Allowing banks and other financial institutions to pool trust accounts into common funds for better investments.

Jury Instructed In Bank Funds Misuse Trial

Richmond, Va., April 22 (AP).—Returning from luncheon recess, a Federal District Court jury this afternoon took under consideration the case of nine persons charged with aiding and abetting in misapplications of more than $435,000 from the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Fredericksburg.

Judge J. Waties Waring recessed court after an extensive summation of the rules of evidence and legal aspects in his charge to the jury.

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Bowles Urges Business Unit In Price War

Former OPA Head Suggests Group To Work Toward Volunteer Cuts

By Edward T. Folliard
Post Reporter

Chester Bowles, war-time head of OPA, has moved back into the battle against high prices.

He called on President Truman yesterday and afterward suggested that a board of businessmen be set up within the Department of Commerce to work for voluntary price reductions.

"You just can't put OPA or price controls by Government back in," Bowles told White House reporters.

He said that his proposed board of businessmen, after studying profits, wages and other factors, might be able to bring about "moderate and reasonable" reductions in prices.

To Head ADA Group

Wilson W. Wyatt, national chairman of Americans for Democratic Action, announced that Bowles would head that organization's national committee on economic stability. The ADA is an anti-Communist liberal group. Wyatt warned that unless the present economic trend is checked the result would be "terrible hardship at home and almost certain failure to implement peace and extend democracy throughout the world."

Other developments in the price situation were:

Wholesale butter prices dropped still further in New York, Chicago and San Francisco.

The price of steel scrap dropped $5 a ton in Pittsburgh.

Senator Robert A. Taft (R., Ohio) said that the 15-cent hourly wage increase in the steel industry would make it "very difficult if not impossible" to lower prices of manufactured goods. He differed with President Truman, who the day before contended that prices can still be cut if labor seeks only "moderate" wage increases.

Retail Group Joins Fight

Senator Scott Lucas (D., Ill.) insisted that U. S. Steel can still cut prices. He expressed the belief that corporation profits in general are great enough to permit both a raise in wages and a cut in prices.

The American Retail Federation joined in President Truman's campaign against high prices. Jerome M. Ney, board chairman, and Walter Morrow, president, said that retailers can do two things toward establishing a sound economy: (1) pledge their stores to pass on to consumers all benefits of reduced prices at the supply level, and (2) pledge their buyers to seek out uneconomic elements in the price of goods they buy and eliminate them.

Challenge to Business

Bowles, in accepting Wyatt's invitation to head an ADA committee on economic stability, said that he was glad to see the organization is to try to head off a possible depression. He added:

"While I agree that such a depression is not inevitable, immediate action is required to avert it. The Nation has been maneuvered into a needlessly difficult position which promises serious consequences domestically and internationally.

"The present economic trend presents a grave challenge to businessmen, workers and farmers. But I am convinced that all can collaborate to promote mutual security and further a program of abundance for producers and consumers."

Paraguay Truce Asked

Asuncion, Paraguay, April 22 (U.P.).—The Paraguayan government is willing to accept Brazil's offer of mediation to end the civil war here, provided the rebels lay down their arms first, it was officially announced today.

Low Offers Halt Hobacco Auction . . .

Post Staff Photo

THE FARMERS OBJECT—The chant of the tobacco auctioneer died out in Southern Maryland yesterday almost as soon as it started. Farmers objected and growled angrily when big tobacco buyers offered bids far below what growers expected. Only 8 per cent of the weed at LaPlata and Waldorf was sold, before the sales were stopped. James P. Ryon (left) of Waldorf, and Charles L. Turner of Aquasco, operators of the Waldorf Warehouse, look over the choice leaf offered for sale by Charles P. Buckley of Clinton, Md. (Story on Page 3)

21 Stolen Army Machine Guns Found in Md.

Three Men Charged With Theft After Raid Near Ellicott City

Savannah, Ga., April 22 (U.P.).—The FBI announced tonight the recovery of 21 stolen Army machine guns in a raid on an estate near Ellicott City, Md., and named three men as the thieves.

(FBI headquarters in Washington declined immediate comment.)

The machine guns were the bulk of 25 such weapons stolen from the Bush Field surplus supply depot near Augusta, Ga., April 14, Agent D. K. Brown of the Savannah FBI office announced.

G-men converged on the 400-acre Maryland estate last night, Brown said, and found 20 .50-caliber machine guns and one of .30 caliber identified as those stolen from the Augusta depot. Four .50-caliber guns still were missing.

The estate was owned by Carl John Eisenhardt, Brown said, and Eisenhardt was charged with the theft of the guns along with J. Meridith Russell and Edward Browder. The three men were identified by name only and no further information about them was released, except that they had not been arrested.

In addition to the 21 stolen guns, the FBI found in the arsenal of Eisenhardt's estate a case of ammunition for the .30-caliber gun, a case of small arms ammunition and extra barrels and parts for the larger weapons, Brown said.

The FBI agent said the guns "undoubtedly" were flown to Ellicott City, near Baltimore, in a former Army airplane which had been bought at a surplus sale at Bushfield.

Man Terrorizes Children, Beats Woman Protector

A Negro terrorized a group of young children with a knife in the 2500 block of 17th st. nw., yesterday and fled after beating a woman who had sought to protect the children.

Police said Mrs. Alice C. Moriarty of 2548 17th st. nw., ran to the street when she saw the man pursuing the children. He turned on her, beat her with his fists and knocked her to the ground.

Police Pvt. E. F. Grafton of No. 10 Precinct, said Mrs. Moriarty's face was badly bruised. She told him she would be treated by her personal physician.

Police flashed a lookout for the man, describing him as dark-skinned, between 30 and 35 years of age, about 160 pounds, 5 feet 9, wearing a tan Army shirt, blue trousers with white stripes and a tan railroad engineer's cap.

Offices Permitted On Lower 16th St.

The District Zoning Commission yesterday approved zoning amendments to permit erection of banks and office buildings on "lower" 16th st. The decision was a victory for property owners in the area, who favored the change.

The amendment covers 16th st. nw. from Lafayette square to M st., and also sections of Massachusetts ave. nw., between Mount Vernon Square and Thomas Circle.

British Up Milk Ration

London, April 22 (U.P.).—Food Minister John Strachey announced today that the weekly British milk ration would be increased from 2½ to three pints effective May 4.

Feller Beats Browns, 5-0, On 1-Hitter

Cleveland, April 22 (AP).—Al Zarilla's single to center in the seventh inning spoiled what might have been Bob Feller's third no-hitter today, the fast fireballer collecting his record ninth one-hitter against the St. Louis Browns, 5 to 0.

Joe Gordon's three-run homer in the sixth provided the artillery for the Indians' victory as Feller was striking out 10 men and walking only 1, Jack Moss, first batter in the ninth. Only 29 men faced him.

Blazing Bob broke his own major league record for one-hitters, set last year. Today's start was his second of the season. He took a 2-to-0 loss on opening day here, from Chicago.

Bob fanned two men each in the first three innings, one each in the fourth and fifth, none in the sixth, and one each in the seventh and eighth. Bob Dillinger and Zarilla went down in the first, Jerry Witte and Walt Judnich in the second, Jack Berardino and Bob Muncrief, the losing pitcher, in the third. In the fourth it was Zarilla again, and in the fifth it was the former Indian, Jeff Heath. In the seventh it was Dillinger again, and in the eighth Judnich for the second time.

Gordon's homer reached Cleveland Stadium's left field stands, scoring Les Fleming and Pat Seerey, Lou Boudreau had opened the stanza with a single, but was forced by Fleming. Seerey's single then put Fleming on second.

Cleveland gathered its first two runs on Hal Peck's single, scoring Ken Keltner, who had walked, and George Metkovich's single. The

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Gregg Has 1-Hitter Against Phillies

Brooklyn, April 22 (AP).—Right-hander Hal Gregg pitched the Brooklyn Dodgers to a 1-0 one-hit victory over the Philadelphia Phillies today with Jackie Robinson scoring the lone run in the eighth inning by singling, stealing second, moving to third on an error and crossing on Gene Hermanski's single.

Del Ennis' double to the left-field corner with two out in the first inning was the lone hit off Gregg. The fastball hurler faced only 32 batters and at one stretch retired 20 Phils in a row.

Big 4 Success Depends Upon Soviet Yielding

Western Powers Await Concessions On Austria, Germany

Moscow, April 22 (AP).—The United States, British and French foreign ministers waited tonight for Soviet Russia either to make concessions on the Austrian treaty and German question or shut the door on the Moscow conference.

Following another inconclusive secret session devoted to the Austrian treaty today, the four foreign ministers decided to turn tomorrow to final consideration of stalemated German questions.

Several sources said three secret meetings on Austria had not definitely ended hope that agreement might be reached, but had failed to break the deadlock on vital issues.

Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov has not met western views, it was reported, but has not completely rejected them, leaving the deliberations hanging in the air.

About the best that was hoped from the German discussions was that there would be sufficient basis of agreement to keep the foreign ministers deputies working between this council meeting and the next.

The whole session was summed up by one delegate in words without diplomatic trimmings. He said, "This conference is a mess."

Truman Gets Bill For Farm Labor Aid

By The Associated Press

A six-month extension of the Federal farm labor program—to the end of this year—won final Congressional approval yesterday. The Senate sent the bill to the White House.

Under the program the Federal Government pays transportation, housing and medical costs for farm workers, including foreign workers brought in from Mexico, Jamaica and other places.

Japs Oust Minister

Tokyo, April 22 (U.P.).—The Japanese government's screening committee announced today that it had found Welfare Minister Yoshinari Kawai "unfit" to hold public office under Gen. Douglas MacArthur's purge directive, because of Kawai's wartime writings supporting Japanese military aggression in East Asia.

Like Margin Is Expected On House Bill Next Week

35 GOP Senators Join 32 Democrats For Passage; Oil Amendment Adopted

By Robert C. Albright
Post Reporter

The Senate yesterday approved the President's 400 million dollar program to help Greece and Turkey combat communism by a bipartisan majority of 67 to 23.

The historic departure in foreign policy, pledging limited military as well as economic assistance in the strategic Near East, cleared the Senate in three rapid roll call votes.

House Action Next Week

It now goes to the House, where passage is expected by a proportionate margin next Wednesday or Thursday.

The nearly 3-to-1 Senate vote for the so-called "Truman Doctrine" followed a two-week fight on the program by extreme right and left wing elements in both parties.

The attack sharpened in five hours of staccato debate before the showdown.

Then opponents pooled their efforts in two major tries to kill the program:

1. An amendment by Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D., Colo.) striking all military assistance from the bill was defeated 68 to 22.

2. A motion by Senator Edward V. Robertson (R., Wyo.) to table was rejected 67 to 23.

Oil Amendment Adopted

The Senate adopted, viva voce, one minor amendment by Johnson, previously accepted by Senate Foreign Relations Chairman Arthur H. Vandenberg (R., Mich.). This said the Government is not bound to support private agreements between American oil companies and foreign governments or individuals.

None of the pending amendments by Senator Claude Pepper (D., Fla.) and others to clear a strictly relief program through the United Nations was put to a vote.

Johnson, floor manager of the opposition, was said to have held out against a test on the "by-passing" issue. He argued privately the amendment would be defeated and do the United Nations no good.

On the passage vote, 35 Republicans voted with 32 Democrats for the bill. Only 7 Democrats joined 16 Republicans in voting "No."

Vandenberg Recapitulates

Vandenberg, whose name the revised Senate bill bears, himself gaveled the measure to passage after taking the floor to recapitulate arguments for the program.

He slapped hotly at statements by Johnson that the bill will lead ultimately to war with Russia.

He termed Johnson's remarks "An invitation to the precise disaster this bill seeks to prevent . . . An inflammable statement . . ."

Johnson, a leading foe of universal traning, told the Senate:

"If Congress enacts the pending

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U. S. Officers' Release Pledged By Chinese Reds

The State Department announced yesterday the United States is sending two official representatives to a rendezvous in Manchuria to pick up two American Army officers captured on March 1 by Chinese Communist forces.

The officers are Maj. Robert B. Rigg, of Chicago, and Capt. John W. Collins, of Evanston, Ill. Both are assistant military attaches in the American embassy in China.

The department said it was following procedure outlined by the Chinese Communists in a broadcast a few days ago.

The representatives are O. Edmund Clubb, U. S. Consul General at Changchun, and Lieut. Col. Edward T. Cowen, assistant military attache at the U. S. embassy in China.

The State Department said the Communist broadcast specified the men would be released about midnight tomorrow.

Business Is Good

Newburyport Sets Example For U.S. With 10% Cut in Prices

Newburyport, Mass., April 22 (AP).—Merchants of this old seaport took a cut at the Nation's cost of living today by knocking down their prices a flat 10 per cent and then reported from crowded counters that the day's business was "much better than average."

The first day of the "Newburyport plan" brought out crowds of buyers and business observers to watch the 10-day experiment in which more than 90 per cent of retailers in this city of 15,000 risked their own profits in the hope that "the rest of the country will follow us."

Biggest demand at the start of the cooperative price cut was for men's furnishings and automobile supplies, and those shops reported lines of customers "loading up" at the counters with the new price tags.

One automobile dealer announced a 10 per cent slash in new car prices for the 10 days.

Still waiting out the experiment, merchant sources said, were the big chain shops which plan sponsors said they hope to embrace but which were reported to be awaiting authorization from their main offices.

From the more than 90 of the city's 100 or so retail stores merchants told of better than average sales on an ordinarily light day but joined in emphasizing that full effects of the experiment cannot be known "until the weekend."

They were optimistic over the plan's chances of catching on nationally and quoted wholesalers as saying they agreed with the idea.

A department store official from Lowell, Mass., told them he was impressed and would suggest a similar plan in that city.

Neighboring communities of Amesbury and Portsmouth, N. H.,

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The Gallup Poll

Wallace Popularity Sinks; Only 9% Favor Him for 1948

By George Gallup
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

Princeton, N. J., April 22.—With Henry A. Wallace in the headlines both here and in Europe, questions have arisen as to the size of his following as a political leader.

Mr. Wallace has for two years been second only to President Truman in popularity among Democratic voters as a candidate for 1948. But during the last five months his popularity has declined sharply.

Latest results from interviewing Democratic voters, during the period April 12-20, show that about 1 in 10 of those with opinions would like to see him become the Democratic presidential candidate in 1948. This is less than half the vote he polled in a similar survey last December, when 24 per cent said Mr. Wallace was their choice for the next nomination.

The top choice of Democratic voters continues to be Mr. Truman. His percentage has risen sharply since December.

The following table shows the trend:

If you had to decide today, who would be your choice for President in 1948?

Democratic Voters Only

	May '46	Dec.	March '47	Today
Truman	61%	48%	69%	79%
Wallace	24	24	13	9
Eisenhower	4	8	7	5
Byrnes	3	10	2	1
Marshall	..	..	4	1
Others	8	10	5	5

A total of 22 per cent said they had no definite choice in mind at this time.

The trend figures indicate that

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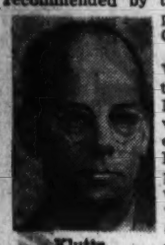
The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Budget Cuts Would Kill Fish and Wildlife Lab

By Jerry Kluttz

INTERIOR: These are among the many things that would happen if its budget is trimmed as recommended by the House Appropriations Committee:



Kluttz

The Fish and Wildlife laboratory at College Park, Md., would be closed. The Reclamation planning division here would be wiped out. It has 140 employes who map out power and irrigation projects.

The committee ordered the department to bring in plans next year for the schooling of 15,000 Navajo children. Then it flopped over to the other side and ordered the department to close three schools attended by 1000 Navajo pupils. In all, about a third of the Indian hospitals and schools must be closed under the bill.

The ground-water division of Geological Survey would have to be knocked out. This unit has been operating 50 years, and in it are some of the Nation's outstanding water specialists. Its services are constantly used by cities and large ranch owners to discover water supplies.

Solid Fuels was given $60,000 to liquidate after July 1 . . . Funds were knocked out to hire a dozen new park policemen and a sergeant . . . The department yesterday put out a totally unnecessary order under the circumstances. Faced with the discharge of upwards of 15,000 of its 50,000 employes, it said no new employes will be hired.

Meantime, officials set May 1 as the day to get out the first batch of furlough and dismissal notices. The notices will become effective on May 15. The officials don't know at this writing how many employes are to be fired and furloughed, nor do they know how the shakedown will take place. These two processes are being hotly debated:

(1) That a proportionate cut be made in every bureau, or (2) that an agency cut, based on its appropriation, be made.

The sponsors of the first plan point out that the bill would wipe out entire activities and people who have spent a lifetime in them if cuts are made on an agency-by-agency basis. At the same time, they point out, war service people would retain their jobs in other bureaus.

VA: The top staff at Veterans Administration has voted against a move to reinstall the bell system. It was a close vote. The supervisory staff, however, has been instructed to crackdown on time chiselers. Also there's likely to be an occasional spot check to catch latecomers and early-goers.

WAGE AND HOUR: It's getting out dismissal notices to 294 employes. Most of the axed people are in the field. The House budget forced the agency to make a 25 per cent cut in its staff.

NOTES: The Senate may turn over its restaurant to a private commercial operator . . . The War Department has plans to give about 3500 of its employes the general clerical test on Saturday. It also will test another group of applicants in its Quartermaster Depot at Cameron, Va. The A.B. &W. will run special buses to and from the depot . . . Representative Lane has in a bill to give Navy Yard workers an additional half day's pay for each holiday they worked during the war . . . The House committee definitely did not wipe out funds for the moving back here of the three Interior agencies in Chicago. Money for this move is in another bill which hasn't been acted on.

JOBS: The National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics here has a few openings for: Clerk-stenographers, CAF-4, and experienced clerks who can type at CAF-3 and 4. Apply to the personnel office at 1500 New Hampshire ave. nw.

POST OFFICE: It's mail equipment shop here has only enough money to pay salaries through June 15. The Senate Appropriations Committee, however, has added to the deficiency bill enough money to continue the agency's full staff without payless furloughs.

NLRB: More about its cut. The labor agency sought about $700,000 for expansion, to add 380 employes in the field and 148 here. The Congress turned it down flat. Now either a few employes will have to be laid off or a few people placed on payless furloughs.

VETERANS: A round-table discussion on veterans' preference and how it's working will be staged this afternoon by the staff of the Senate Civil Service Committee. You're invited.

RETIREMENT: The committee again failed to come to an agreement on the Langer-Chavez retirement bill. It'll try again tomorrow. Meantime, opposition is rising to the measure which would force employes to pay most of the costs of the proposed benefits.

At least one Senator is said to be considering a plan to have the Government split the cost with the employes. He favors raising the employe contribution to 5½ per cent instead of 6 per cent.

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Begins Life With Father . . . .

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

DADDY'S A WINNER—Five-year-old Nancy Lee Shawsky, whose mother, Mrs. Irene Shawsky, was found strangled last January in a Gary, Ind., swamp, embraces her father, Frank Shawsky, in Chicago yesterday. He was awarded custody of his daughter after a month-long battle in Superior Court against the child's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wiebrecht

Judith E. Steinberg Is Oratory Winner

District winner of the Knights of Pythias "Juvenile Delinquency" oratory contest is Judith E. Steinberg, a McKinley High student.

Miss Steinberg, 5335 32d st. nw., won $100 and a gold medal last night. Dorothy Berger, 1904 Q st. se., an Anacostia student, was runner-up.

Miss Steinberg will enter the sectional contest at Frederick, Md., May 24, with speakers from West Virginia and Maryland.

Interior Cuts Bring Barrage Of Protests

By The Associated Press

A barrage of protests hit Capitol Hill yesterday against a proposed 47 per cent cut in the Interior Department's budget.

Senator Bridges (R., N. H.), chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, told reporters "hundreds of protests" already have reached that group.

A bill making the cut came from the House Appropriations Committee only Monday. The House must act on it before the measure even reaches Bridges' committee.

However, Bridges said he was calling a meeting of Appropriations Subcommittee chairmen to "talk over" the protests. He said that if his committee hears all the organizations asking to testify, then Congress will be unable to complete action on appropriations bills by July 1 when the new fiscal year begins.

Taber Discounts Protests

The chopped down appropriation proposed for the Interior Department is for the new fiscal year.

Representative Taber (R., N. Y.), who heads the House Appropriations group, called the protests "the squeal of a stuck pig."

Secretary Krug declared the slash, if upheld by Congress, would cause "a tremendous setback in the Nation's economy and perhaps the start of a major business depression."

Taber, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, retorted in an interview:

"The minute anyone demands a business administration and elimination of the leeches on the Government payroll, they squeal like a stuck pig."

Reclamation Funds Hit

The committee recommended yesterday that Congress give the department $156,538,413 for the fiscal year starting next July 1. This is $138,881,907 less than President Truman's budget estimate.

The cut would fall mainly on the Reclamation Bureau.

Many Western Republican Representatives were dissatisfied over the committee's action toward the Reclamation Bureau, but Taber joined with Representative Robert F. Jones (R., Ohio) in predicting that the House will uphold the committee when the bill is considered tomorrow.

Jones, chairman of the subcommittee which wrote the bill, said the group had not "impaired or curtailed any of the essential functions or services of the department."

Junior Bar Group Lunches Tomorrow

The Junior Bar Section of the District Bar Association will hold its April luncheon meeting in honor of newly admitted members of the bar here at 12:30 p. m., tomorrow in El Patio Restaurant, 711 13th st. nw.

Speakers will be Chief Justice Bolitho Laws of District Court and Austin F. Canfield, president of the District Bar Association.

Nearly 3500 disabled veterans of World War II have been rehabilitated during the last year under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Fire, Ambulance and Police Emergency Telephone Calls

Due to the telephone strike, operators may not be available to assist on calls for fire, ambulance and police. The public is requested to remember these directions during the emergency:

WASHINGTON

To Report a Fire . . . . . DIAL HObart 1616
To Call the Police . . . . . DIAL NAtional 3313
To Call the Park Police . . . . . DIAL DIstrict 1400
To Call an Ambulance . . . . . DIAL HObart 3322

MARYLAND

FIRE, AMBULANCE OR POLICE
Bradley-Oliver-Wisconsin . . . . . DIAL OLiver 3205
Hyattsville-Union-Warfield . . . . . DIAL UNion 1122
Olympic-Pleasant . . . . . DIAL PLeasant 1122
Tower . . . . . DIAL TOwer 5151
Shepherd-Sligo-Silver Spring . . . DIAL SHepherd 3200
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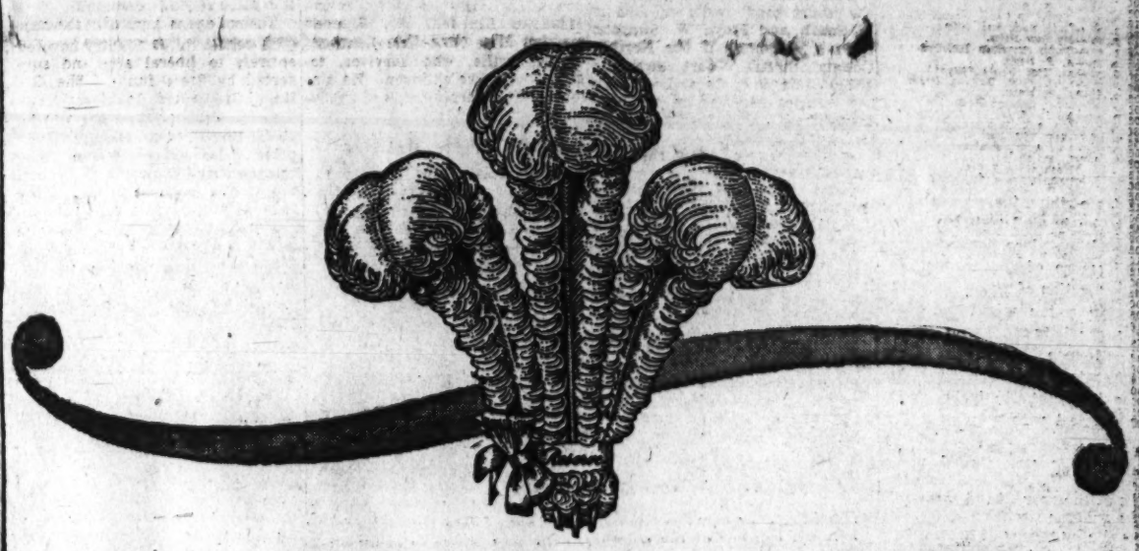

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Veterans Invade the Stately Halls of Mary Washington College

THE GIs ARE OUTNUMBERED—There are about 30 women to each man at Mary Washington College at Fredericksburg, Va., where male students have been admitted for the first time in history. All are former servicemen, taking advantage of the GI Bill of Rights. This is a typical scene between classes

ADD SOMETHING NEW—Third Army Veteran Bob Warren, 21, one of the first men admitted to study at Mary Washington College, sips a soft drink with Mary Cottingham, 17. Both are freshmen. There are 75 former GIs enrolled

Post Staff Photo

TEAMWORK—Harwood Bullock, a native of Fredericksburg, directs a radio play from the control room, while Jo-Ann Fitz, former Wave, handles the controls. Both were pharmacists mates in the Navy during war

S. R. Warnken Made Counsel Of State PSC

Annapolis, Md., April 22 (AP).—Governor Lane today appointed S. Ralph Warnken, former president of the Baltimore Bar Association, as general counsel of the Public Service Commission.

The post has been vacant since Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor named Robert France, former general counsel, to the Baltimore Supreme bench in one of the last acts of his administration.

Warnken will serve the remainder of France's six-year term, which began June 1, 1945.

Lane said Warnken would take over his new duties within the next few days.

Although this will be Warnken's first State public office, Lane recalled that he headed a commission appointed by O'Connor to investigate the State Industrial Accident Commission and was the author of a report that resulted in a revision of the method of awarding compensation benefits.

The Governo rnoted that he also was on the committee that reorganized the Seaboard Air Line Railway.

"I feel that the State is fortunate to obtain the services in this most important office of a man of Mr. Warnken's broad experience," Lane said.

The appointment was made upon recommendation of the commission.

Warnken is a member of the law firm of Cook, Warnken, Veazy and Markell. He has practiced law in Baltimore for more than 30 years.

During World War II he was the chairman of the Alien Enemy Hearings Board for Maryland and an appeal agent for a Baltimore draft board. In the first World War he served with the Naval Intelligence Division.

He is married and has one child.

Fat Stock Show Opens

Richmond, Va., April 22 (AP). The first annual Atlantic Fat Stock Show opened today at the Atlantic Rural Exposition Grounds with 581 head of fat cattle entered in the various classes.

Graders from the State division of markets served as a meeting committee to set the stage for judging.

Station WEPM-Wednesday

Martinsburg, W. Va. 1340 KC

7:00 a. m.—A. P. News.
7:05 a. m.—Wake-Up Tunes.
7:15 a. m.—Sunset Pals.
7:45 a. m.—Moments of Devotion.
8:00 a. m.—A. P. News.
8:05 a. m.—Music for Wednesday.
9:00 a. m.—A. P. News.
9:05 a. m.—Hay and Skipper.
9:30 a. m.—News Flash Bulletin Board.
10:00 a. m.—A. P. News.
10:05 a. m.—Especially for the Ladies.
10:30 a. m.—For Listening Only.
11:00 a. m.—A. P. News.
11:05 a. m.—Highlights from Hollywood.
11:30 a. m.—Tunes at Noon.
12:00 noon—A. P. News.
12:15 p. m.—Hymn of the Day.
12:30 p. m.—Tunes at Noon.
12:50 p. m.—Eastern Panhandle Farm Hour.
1:00 p. m.—A. P. News.
1:05 p. m.—WEPM Bulletin Board.
1:15 p. m.—Lean Back and Listen.
1:30 p. m.—News.
1:45 p. m.—South American Melodies.
2:00 p. m.—A. P. News.
2:05 p. m.—All Star Dance Parade.
2:30 p. m.—News Flash Bulletin Board.
2:45 p. m.—A. P. News.
3:05 p. m.—Light Concert Hour.
4:00 p. m.—A. P. News.
4:05 p. m.—Hay and Skipper.
4:30 p. m.—Jane Van Ness.
4:45 p. m.—Vets Administration.
5:00 p. m.—A. P. News.
5:05 p. m.—Washington Today.
5:15 p. m.—Tomorrow's Hits.
6:00 p. m.—A. P. News.
6:05 p. m.—Today's Hits.
6:15 p. m.—Sports Special.
6:30 p. m.—The Old National Hour.
6:45 p. m.—Sing With Bing.
7:00 p. m.—A. P. News.
7:05 p. m.—Country Show.
7:15 p. m.—Interlude.
7:30 p. m.—Teen Agers.
7:45 p. m.—Jimmy Dorsey.
8:00 p. m.—Concert Miniature.
8:15 p. m.—A. P. News.
8:30 p. m.—John W. Vandercook.
8:45 p. m.—Interlude.
9:00 p. m.—Variety Time.
9:30 p. m.—Presidents We Hail.
9:45 p. m.—Do You Remember
10:00 p. m.—Between the Lines.
10:15 p. m.—Sacred Heart Program.
10:30 p. m.—Columbia Masterworks.
11:00 p. m.—News.
11:05 p. m.—Request Hour.
11:30 p. m.—News.

Station WCHV—Wednesday

Charlottesville, Va. 1240 KC.

6:30 a.m.—Musical Clock.
6:55 a.m.—Farm News, Norman Kelsey.
7:00 a.m.—Top of the News.
7:15 a.m.—News.
7:30 a.m.—Cabin Manners.
7:45 a.m.—Breakfast Time Tunes.
8:00 a.m.—Martin Agronsky, News.
8:15 a.m.—Bing Crosby.
8:30 a.m.—Norman Kelsey, News.
8:45 a.m.—Les Paul Trio.
9:00 a.m.—Curt Massey Sings.
9:15 a.m.—News.
9:30 a.m.—Breakfast Club, Don McNeil.
10:00 a.m.—Music for Milady.
10:30 a.m.—News.
10:45 a.m.—Magazine of the Air.
11:00 a.m.—The Listenin' Post.
11:30 a.m.—Breakfast Tom Breneman.
11:45 a.m.—The Hollywood Story.
11:45 a.m.—Ted Malone.
12:00 noon—Luncheon Lyrics.
12:15 p.m.—Dr. Pepper 10-2-4.
12:30 p.m.—Rural Wagon.
12:45 p.m.—Community News.
1:00 p.m.—Backstage, News.
1:15 p.m.—Front Royal News.
1:30 p.m.—Mark Essex.
1:45 p.m.—Walter Kiernan, News.
2:15 p.m.—Ethel and Albert.
2:30 p.m.—Brides and Grooms.
2:60 p.m.—Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 p.m.—Edwin C. Hill.
3:45 p.m.—Soar's Souvenirs.
4:15 p.m.—Record Shop.
4:45 p.m.—Dick Tracy.
5:00 p.m.—Terry & Pirates.
5:15 p.m.—Sky King.
5:30 p.m.—Jack Armstrong.
5:45 p.m.—Record Album.
6:00 p.m.—Sundown Serenade.
6:15 p.m.—Spin a Wiz.
6:30 p.m.—Victorious Living.
6:45 p.m.—Easy Listening.
7:00 p.m.—Headline Edition.
7:15 p.m.—Elmer Davis.
7:30 p.m.—Steppin In Rhythm.
7:45 p.m.—Concert Hall.
8:00 p.m.—Lum & Abner.
8:15 p.m.—Music for the Home.
8:30 p.m.—Parade.
8:60 p.m.—Top Tunes.
9:15 p.m.—Wings of Melody.
9:30 p.m.—To be announced.
10:00 p.m.—Sing Christ.
10:30 p.m.—Concert Hall.
11:30 p.m.—News.

Virginia News

State High Court Grants Appeal to Town On $12,000 Judgment Awarded Waitress

Richmond, Va., April 22 (AP).—The Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals granted an appeal today to the town of Falls Church from a judgment of the Fairfax County Circuit Court awarding damages of $12,000 to Mrs. Bessie Mae Myers for injuries allegedly suffered when she fell on a street within the city limits of the town.

The appeal was one of two granted by the court as it continued its April session here. Writs of error were refused in six other cases.

The municipality contended in its petition for an appeal that the street on which Mrs. Myers was injured was a State highway maintained entirely by the commonwealth. It also contended that an abutment near a culvert, which caused the accident, is under State control. Under these circumstances, attorneys for the town claimed, the municipality is not liable for injuries suffered by Mrs. Myers.

Mrs. Myers, a waitress, received serious arm injuries when she stepped out of a car near the culvert and fell over the abutment into a four-foot ditch.

The other appeal awarded by the court today went to Donald J. Smith and Floyd W. Simpson from a judgment of the Norfolk County Circuit Court awarding $5000 damages to Oscar Lee Clark for injuries received in an accident June 20, 1946, on Airline blvd. in Norfolk County.

Among the cases which the court refused to consider:

Lewis Montague vs. Charles Henry Smith, and others, from the Circuit Court of Alexandria, in which the trial court dismissed Montague's claim for one third stock interest in Auburn Gardens, Inc., $90,000 apartment house property in Alexandria.

D. H. Elliott vs. R. D. Bates, from the Circuit Court of King and Queen County, in which a jury held all parties guilty of contributory negligence in an accident on Route 360 on April 3, 1946, and refused damages to anyone.

J. J. Herdt Is Dead

Charlottesville, Va., April 22. Jerome J. Herdt, 79, retired businessman, died yesterday at a local hospital. The funeral will be held at 10 a. m. Wednesday at the Church of the Holy Comforter. Mr. Herdt was a native of Germany. Besides his wife, Mrs. Nicoline Nicolaisen Herdt, he is survived by two sons, Louis Herdt of Arlington, and Theodore V. Herdt of Spotswood, N. J., and two daughters, Misses Vida and Ellen Herdt.

Two Schools Accredited

Fredericksburg, Va., April 22. Both Falmouth and Stafford High Schools in Stafford County have been placed on the accredited list of Virginia high schools for the 1947 session. Notification of the listing has been received by Superintendent T. Benton Gayle from Dr. Fred M. Alexander, State director of secondary education.

College Hearing Set

Richmond, Va., April 22 (AP).—A hearing on a petition of trustees of Virginia Intermont College, Bristol, for a charter amendment which would take the sole power of nominating trustees from the Baptist General Association of Virginia and give it to any Virginia Baptist has been continued to December 15 by the State Corporation Commission.

With the granting of the postponement, asked by the trustees, the way was paved for a possible out-of-court settlement of the conflict between trustees of the school and the Baptist association.

Under the present charter the Baptist association makes all trustee nominations and the trustees are chosen from nominees by the board itself.

Missing Boy Hunted

Portsmouth, Va., April 22 (AP). Search was continued today for Bruce Johnson, 13, missing since he left home about noon Sunday to go sailing on the Elizabeth River.

Five Coast Guard craft made a thorough search of the Norfolk-Portsmouth Harbor area yesterday for the boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson of Portsmouth.

New Post for Dr. Kirby

Fredericksburg, Va., April 22.

Dr. John P. Kirby, professor of English at Mary Washington College, has accepted a position with the English department of Randolph-Macon Woman's College at Lynchburg and will join the staff there after a summer of teaching at the University of Virginia. Dr. Kirby will become head of the department at Randolph-Macon in the 1948 session of the school.

Granville Breeden Rites

Charlottesville, Va., April 22.—Funeral services for Granville Breeden, 35, veteran of World War II, who died at the McGuire Hospital, Richmond, were held at 2 p. m. today from his residence in Scottsville, this county, conducted by the Rev. A. L. Stevenson.

He was a native of Page County, son of S. Flournoy and Frances Meadows Breeden. Mr. Breeden married Miss Nora Ella Clements of Scottsville, who survives, together with two children. He also leaves two brothers and three sisters.

Chamber Aide Resigns

Front Royal, Va., April 22.—The board of directors of the local Chamber of Commerce has accepted the resignation of James A. Payne, executive secretary for the past three years.

Figures on GI Loans

Charlottesville, Va., April 22.—More than a million dollars has been loaned to former servicemen in this area by Charlottesville financial institutions under the GI bill of rights for homes, businesses and farms, according to a survey just completed.

A check among the three banks operating here and other lending institutions shows that a total of 218 loans have been made amounting to $1,$39,328.18, of which an estimated $937,836.21 is still outstanding. The figures were compiled as of April 15.

Breaking down the figures, home loans are found to be by far the most popular among former GI's. One hundred and eighty loans of this type have been made for a total face value of $914,026.

Devers to Lead Parade

Winchester, Va., April 22.—The colorful queen's parade at the 20th annual Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival here May 2 will be led by Gen. Jacob L. Devers, commander of the United States Army Ground Forces.

Gen. Devers

The long procession, which will wind its way through the city on the second day of the celebration, will include some 50 bands and drum and bugle corps as well as about 30 floats. An air show over the parade route will be staged by the Army, Navy and Marine Corps.

Fall Fatal to Worker

Front Royal, Va., April 22.—Robert Edward Catlett of Riverton, 64, an employe of Riverton Lime and Stone Co. for many years, died Sunday in a local hospital of a fractured skull after a fall from a building on which he was working.

R. F. & P Net Soars

Richmond, Va., April 22 (AP). Stockholders of the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Co. at their annual meeting yesterday reelected officers and directors.

Norman Call of Richmond, R. F. & P. president, reported an increase of nearly 44 per cent in the railroad's net income in 1946 over 1945 despite a decrease of about 22 per cent in operating revenues, which totaled $26,021,789 in 1946.

Male Students Finally Crash M. W. College

Male students have at last been admitted to the halls and classrooms of Mary Washington College at Fredericksburg, where only girls have studied since the school was founded.

The college, long steeped in the conservatism of a Southern girls' school, at last relented this year, and admitted about 75 former GIs under the GI Bill of Rights educational program.

Besides the boys there are about 15 veterans of various women's branches of the armed forces, mainly Waves, but a few Wacs and one lone woman marine.

Burnside Failed

Eighty-five years ago the hill site of the college—officially known as the Women's College of the University of Virginia—were assaulted in vain for days by thousands of Union Soldiers trying to oust Lee's Army perched on the heights.

But where Burnside's veterans failed, the veterans of World War II came, saw and conquered.

The college is reputedly the only girls' school in the country devoted entirely to liberal arts and supported by State funds. The GIs are thus limited to liberal arts courses. Most of them are making up credits they lack preparatory to entering professional schools.

Studies Dramatic Art

Only one plans other than final schooling in engineering, law, medicine of the sciences. He is Harwood Bullock, a Fredericksburg native, who is taking dramatic art and hopes later to continue his studies with the Pasadena (Calif.) Players.

The veterans, both boys and girls, belong to a veterans organization, known as the Co-Vets Club and run with a strict discipline by its leaders, Thomas E. Long.

School officials say the veterans have proved a worthy and congenial addition to the school's enrollment.

The boys loudly assert they are enjoying themselves. And the 1500 girl students at the college also seem to enjoy their unexpected experience in coeducation.

Dr. Meade Honored

Charlottesville, Va., April 22.—Dr. Richard A. Meade, assistant professor of secondary education and English at the University of Virginia, was awarded the annual Phi Delta Kappa educational fraternity distinguished service plaque by the Alpha Beta Chapter at a banquet here. The runner-up for the award was H. I. Willett, superintendent of the Richmond public schools.

The award is made on the basis of service, research and leadership in the field of education.

Six new members were initiated into the fraternity in Peabody Hall at the university—B. S. Andrews, William R. Dudenhauser, P. H. Hasselvander, S. H. Perkinson and Garland Stevens, all students of the University, and George Pope, who is teaching at Berryville since his graduation in February from the University.

District P-TA Parley

Winchester, Va., April 22.—State Parent-Teacher Association President George B. Zehmer will be among the guest speakers here tomorrow night at a meeting of the Shenandoah District P-TA. Other speakers will include Robert F. Williams, executive secretary of the Virginia Education Association, and Dr. Abner Robertson, executive director of Cooperative Education Association. "Present Day Needs in Education," will be the program theme.

Refreshing Frankness

Norfolk, Va., April 22 (AP).—Veterans of the Eighty-second Airborne Division, who learned something about it between other activities in Europe, expect to have no trouble attaining the announced objective of a meeting of the Virginia Chapter of the Division Association here Sunday, May 4.

"The main objective of the meeting," said B. L. Weil of Norfolk, the temporary Virginia chairman, "is one good time."

Body in Bay Identified as Realtor's Wife

Annapolis, Md., April 22 (AP).—Police were virtually certain today they had identified the body of a woman that came ashore at Arundel-on-the-Bay Sunday morning as Mrs. Frank V. Atkinson of Virginia Beach, Va.

Patrolman George Ward of the Anne Arundel County police station at Eastport said the drowning victim's husband, a Virginia Beach realtor, was xpected here to view the body and check information exchanged on e telephone late yesterday.

From Atkinson's description of the clothing his wife had been wearing when she boarded a Norfolk-Baltimore steamer January 11—the last d.y she was seen—police here were confident the body was hers.

Ward said Mrs. Atkinson was reported to have been "depressed" prior to the time she disappeared.

A clothing store label and the recollection by a Norfolk newspaperman of Mrs. Atkinson's description when she was reported missing led to the identification, police said.

Mrs. Atkinson, the former Miss Dorothy Herring of Fentress, has been missing since January 11 when she boarded a steamer here to go to Baltimore. Mrs. Atkinson, the mother of two children, was accompanied to the steamer pier by a friend, but later information indicated she had not used her stateroom.

Mrs. Zumbru Heads Missing Group

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 22.—Mrs. Ralph Zumbrum of Jefferson, Md., was elected president of the Congress of the Womens Missionary Society of the Maryland Lutheran Synod at the nineteenth annual session of the group held in St. John's Lutheran Church here. Mrs. Zumbrum succeeds Miss Betty Schlunt of Cumberland, Md.

Other officers elected were: Miss Gladys Broeker of Washington, vice president; Mrs. Howard O. Flook of Frederick, Md., secretary, and Mrs. Howard Digman of Martinsburg, W. Va., treasurer.

Poultry Men to Meet

Winchester, Va., April 22.—M. E. Coe, Virginia Polytechnic Institute poultry specialist, will speak on the general poultry outlook and recommendations for meeting the problems that lie ahead, tomorrow night at a meeting called by the Frederick County poultry committee. Setting up 1947 recommendations for Frederick County will also be a part of the business agenda, according to County Agent I. Fred Stine, who announced the meeting.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, April 22 (AP) (U. S. Department of Agriculture).—CATTLE—Receipts 50; receipts very light, inquiry broad; representative classes active, fully steady with Monday; odd head lot medium and good weight slaughter steers, 21.50@22.50; odd medium heifer, 16.00; scattered lots common and medium cows of dairy breeding largely 12.00@14.00, top medium cows to 15.00; canners and cutters, 9.50@11.50, mostly 10.00 up; bulls scarce, medium and good weighty sausage bulls, 15.50@17.00; light and medium weights, 13.50@15.00.

CALVES—Receipts, 100; vealers active, steady with Monday; mixed lots good and choice 150-220 lbs., largely 20.00@24.00; strictly choice, 25.00; common and medium, 8.00@15.00; culls down to 5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 800; active, but 1.00 higher than Monday on all classes; practical top, 24.00; good and choice, 150@140 lbs., 20.50@20.75; 140-160 lbs., 21.50@21.75; 160-180 lbs., 23.00@23.25; 180-220 lbs., 22.75@24.00; 220-250 lbs., 23.00@23.25; 250-300 lbs., 21.00@21.25; 300-350 lbs., 19.75@20.00; 350 lbs. up, 18.75@19.00; good and choice sows, 16.75@17.00, with heavy hogs selling considerably lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, 250; receipts consist of double deck cull and common wooled lambs selling steady, but no early action.

POULTRY—Market about steady; receipts moderate; demand rather light; fryers, springers and broilers, 34@35; fowl, colored, nearby, 26@28, mostly 26; Southern, 23@26; Leghorns, 23@25; ducks, supplies insufficient to quote.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, April 22 (AP) (USDA).—HOGS—Salable receipts, 9000, total, 13,000; very slow; weights 240 pounds and under, 75 to 1.00 lower; weights over 240 lbs., 1.00@1.50 lower, these weights closing at full decline; sows around 75 lower; good and choice, 180-240 lbs., 22.75@23.50; top, 23.50; 250-270 lbs., 21.75@22.75; 280-350 lbs., 20.50@21.75; most good and choice sows, 18.00@18.50, mostly 18.25; several hundred hogs unsold, mostly weights over 240 lbs.

CATTLE—Salable receipts, 9500, total 9500; salable calves, 1200, total, 1200; good and choice steers and heifers steady, active; medium grades strong to 25 higher; largely slow run with good grades predominating at 22.50@24.75; no strictly choice steers here; load lot top low-choice steers, 24.00; short load, 26.00; choice heifers, 24.00; cows scarce, steady; bulls steady to weak; vealers firm at 23.00 down; weighty sausage bulls to 17.00; cutter cows, 13.25 down.

SHEEP—Salable receipts, 2000, total 2500; slaughter lambs opening active, fully steady; double good and choice 107-lb. fed wooled Colorados at 22.10, the top; good to low-choice woolskins 21.00 and 21.75; few medium and good, 20.00; double good and choice 100-lb. fed clipped lambs with No. 2 pelts around 50 higher at 19.50; other classes scarce, few fat native wooled ewes, 10.00.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., April 22 (AP) (USDA).—Market report: Fruits and vegetables (prices represent sales on wholesale market).

WHITE POTATOES—Receipts fairly light; market firm. U. S. No. 1, Maine and New York, 100-lb. sacks, 3.25@3.75; Idaho, 4.00@4.50.

SWEET POTATOES—Receipts moderate, market steady. Bushel baskets, Virginia, North Carolina and S. C., 2.00@2.00.

CABBAGES—Receipts fairly heavy, market firm. 50-lb sacks, Florida and Texas green, 1.65@2.00.

APPLES—Supplies fairly light, market steady. Bushel baskets, U. S. No. 1, 2¼-in. up, Virginia, Winesaps, 2.50@4.00; few $4.50.

EGGS—(Prices paid net to producers f.o.b. Richmond). Receipts fairly liberal, market steady. Whites and browns (candled and graded), U. S. Grade A large, 47@50 doz.; U. S. Grade A medium, 42@44 doz.; U. S. Grade B large, 40@42 doz.; U. S. Grade C, 37@39 doz.; farm graded hennery whites and browns, 50 lbs. and up; whites, 44c doz.; browns, 40c doz.; nearby ungraded current receipts 55 lbs. and up, mostly 38@40 doz.

LIVE POULTRY (prices paid net to producers f.o.b. Richmond)—Receipts moderate, market steady. Colored broilers and fryers average 3 lbs. or under, 33@34 lb.; heavy chickens around 27c lb.; colored fowl, 28@30 lb.; leghorns, 21@22 lb.; old roosters, 18@20 lb.

HOGS—Market 50 cents lower than Monday on all weights. Top, 20.50 for good and choice 180-240-lb. barrows and gilts; 90-100 lbs., 12.50; 100-120 lbs., 13.50; 120-140 lbs., $15.500; 140-160 lbs., 17.50; 160-180 lbs., 19.50; 240-300 lbs., 19.50; 300 lbs and up, $18.00; good sows under 330 lbs., 14.50; 350-500 lbs., 14.00; over 500 lbs., 13.50; good stags, 11.50.

CATTLE—Market generally steady on represented slaughter classes. Odd lots canners and cutters cows mostly 9.00@11.00; few thin canners down to 8.00; fat dairy-type cows, 12.00@14.00, and good beef types, 15.00@16.00; bulk of steers cleared Monday at about steady prices, mostly 20.00@22.00 for good grade; vealers about steady, mostly 23.00 down, odd head strictly choice higher.

Maryland News

Arundel Board Fails to Act After Hearing Caravan of Taxpayers Protest Assessments

Annapolis, Md., April 22 (AP).—Anne Arundel County commissioners, by virtue of a tie vote, refused today to act immediately on a complaint by a delegation of Third District taxpayers that their property assessments were too high.

A caravan of 25 cars brought more than 100 district residents to the courthouse to let commissioners know they thought Assessor Franklyn Maddox's office had permitted inequities in property evaluation.

They were members of the County Citizens Protective Association.

After it was over, Justin G. Buch of Riviera Beach, the association's principal spokesman, said they would try to air their grievance to the April grand jury.

Answering complaints that some properties were valued too high and others too low, Maddox said each taxpayer had the right to appeal his assessment.

St. Marys Fair Set

Leonardtown, Md., April 22.—The St. Marys County Fair will begin September 21 at Camp Calvert on Brettons Bay, Maj. Gen. H. C. Davidson, fair committee head, has announced. A pageant of Maryland's founding will be included in the fair, which is being resumed after a lapse of several years.

Newly Dedicated

Indian Head, Md., April 22.—A remodeled school, the Luther Church of Our Saviour (above), was dedicated Sunday at 3:30 p. m. The Rev. Edgar C. Rakow is pastor. Sermon for the dedication was given by the Rev. Dr. Rudolph S. Ressmeyer of Baltimore.

Cook Loses on Appeal

Annapolis, Md., April 22 (AP).—The Maryland Court of Appeals has reversed an order by the Baltimore City Court directing the State Tax Commission to reinstate Robert W. Cook as Anne Arundel County assessor.

An opinion by Judge Charles Markell said today that Cook's candidacy for a county office was sufficient cause for his removal by the commission on the basis of an administrative policy against assessors running for public office.

Cook, who was defeated in the Democratic primary contest for county treasurer last year, did not return to his post in the assessor's office, after the commission immediately appealed the lower court decision.

VFW Head Installed

Indian Head, Md., April 22. Maryland Department Commander Robert Cramer (right) is shown presenting the gavel to Frank A. Cotrufe, new commander of Millard Post, VFW, in Indian Head.

Wiley Ford Span Closed

Cumberland, Md., April 22 (AP).—The Maryland Roads Commission announced the Wiley Ford bridge across the Potomac River will be closed for 30 days for repairs. Motorists were advised to use the Blue Bridge to reach Ridgeley, W. Va., from Cumberland.

Will Push Dam Work

Saying he will press for funds to complete the Savage River (Md.) flood control dam, Representative Beall (R., Mo.), revealed yesterday hearings on the project are due in about two weeks.

Beall told a reporter Army engineers estimate about $2,600,000 is needed to finish the project started before the war.

Construction on the dam, upstream from Cumberland, Md., was halted during the war. It was started as a WPA project.

Last year Congress authorized the War Department to complete the work.

Cabman Feared Slain

Baltimore, April 22 (AP).—Suburban police started a search today for Altom M. Corkran, 36, after his blood-stained cab was found abandoned near the east city limits.

Investigators theorized he had been slain in a holdup, but they have not yet been able to find his body.

Corkran's cap, with his driver's badge, was found in a pool of blood under the front door of his parked cab. Behind the car were three discharged cartridges. One of his shoes was in the cab.

A trail of blood led 50 feet, where there was another pool. Across the roadway police found the car's ignition key and a bloodied $5 bill.

State Seeks Two LCTs

Maryland would acquire two landing craft tank boats for fisheries rehabilitation under a proposal submitted by the Navy to Congress yesterday.

Aides of Senator O'Conor (D., Md.) said the transfer of the boats to the Maryland Tidewater Fisheries Department will be made in 60 days unless Congress acts against it. The law requires a report to Congress on such transfers.

They said the vessels would permit the fisheries department to conduct its work of rehabilitating oyster bars without the necessity of hiring oystermen and boats. The two vessels would be capable, they added, of doing all the work of oyster shell planting and transplanting.

Md. Tobacco Sales Halted By Discontent

By John W. Ball
Post Reporter

The sing-song of the auctioneer was drowned out by the angry complaints of disappointed growers as the annual tobacco auctions opened in Southern Maryland yesterday.

The auctions stopped almost as soon as they began. The farmers growled angrily as representatives of the big tobacco firms tore samples out of the center of the piles and then offered bids far below what the growers expected.

For a while in one or two warehouses, La Plata and Waldorf, the grumblings and complaints grew so vehement that physical trouble was expected. Half a dozen State patrolmen patrolled the Waldorf area.

Little Tobacco Sold

At La Plata a crowd of farmers estimated at 3000 gave loud voice to their complaints, and were silenced only when Warehouse Manager Robert Jamieson stopped the auction.

Only about 8 per cent of the tobacco at LaPlata and Waldorf was sold. More changed hands at Hughesville, where Holt Evans of the Southern Maryland warehouse bought in much of the tobacco sold.

The irritation on the part of the growers was two-fold.

First, they were sorely disappointed by the low amounts offered. For months they have been looking forward to the opening of the auction. The hope was general that prices would open at about what they closed at last year.

Far Below Last Year

Instead, the bidding was far below last year's closing bids. It was however, about the same as the bidding on the first day a year ago, when a sudden closing of the auctions brought higher prices later.

Some bids of 62 cents were reported; others as low as 12 cents a pound. A year ago the bidding ranged from 15 cents to 57. But farmer after farmer angrily tore the bidders name from their tags, signifying that the offer was not accepted.

Secondly the farmers felt that the bidders were holding bids down in order to pick up all they could from growers in need of ready cash. Occasionally angry arguments took place between a bidder and a grower.

Try Again Today

Today auctions will open at Upper Marlboro, and another attempt to sell will be made at La-Plata and Waldorf. At Hughesville, Evans said the warehouse will not reopen until tomorrow.

Last year a crop of about 18 million pounds brought an average of 57.1 cents a pound. It was evident that many farmers expected that the prices would open far above that average this year—some hoping that highs of last season, about 75 cents, might mark early sales.

Bidders included all the large cigarette companies. A group headed by Noel Hardy, a vice president, represented R. J. Reynolds Co.; the American Tobacco Co. bidders were headed by James Lipscomb; Liggett & Myers by James Farley.

Other bidders included Gieski and Niemen, representing the Swiss government and W. H. Winsted, tobacco broker. The French Government, a long-time buyer at the Maryland auctions, did not show up.

Crash Victim Identified

Richmond, Va., April 22 (AP).—State police headquarters here announced today that a motorist who burned to death in an automobile accident Sunday night on U. S. Route 1, north of Boswells Corner, has been identified as W. L. Tugwell of Aberdeen, N. C. The body was identified by a son-in-law of the dead man. Tugwell was traveling alone when his automobile and a truck collided.

O'Neal Would Cut Agriculture Funds

Farm Bureau Federation Head Urges 20% Budget Slash, Decentralization

Edward O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, told Congress yesterday the Agriculture Department budget should be cut.

He already has recommended a 20 per cent slash in the department's administration expenses, he told the House Agriculture Committee. That recommendation, he said, he made to the House Appropriations Committee.

Further large savings could be effected for the Federal Government, he said, by more decentralization of the work of the department.

O'Neal recommended that expenditures for soil conservation and some other programs be handled with the States on a "50-50 basis."

He thought many programs could be handled through the State Agricultural Extension Service under his decentralization scheme.

The testimony by the colorful farm bureau chief was marked by several hot exchanges with committee members. So aroused did Representative Cliff Clevenger (R., Ohio) become, that he dragged Sherman's march through Alabama—O'Neal's home—into the argument.

In denouncing O'Neal's indorsement of reciprocal trade agreements, Clevenger reminded O'Neal that "General Sherman mussed you up pretty badly down there once," and then added: "Remember, I cut my teeth on a Southern Confederate pistol."

In defense of his position on the trade agreements, O'Neal replied to Clevenger:

"If anyone tells you that we in the United States can eat and consume everything we can produce, he's damn crazy."

PMA Row Recalled

O'Neal's attack upon the present operations of the Agriculture Department brought reminiscences of his row last year with Secretary Anderson over reorganization of the Production and Marketing Administration.

At one time he remarked about Anderson's long-range planning for agriculture:

"His theories are fine. I wish they would work. We don't want to build great bureaus here in Washington to operate our conservation program."

"We don't want anyone from Washington to boss us," he said, in urging that the soil conservation program be administered through local land-grant colleges, with State cooperation.

Points Out Savings

By matching Federal funds with State funds on such work, he said, great savings will result. "When people are spending their own money they are more careful with it," he added.

"I've always found this out, too," O'Neal said, in defense of his State aid program, "that when you buy a fellow a drink, he'll usually buy three or four more."

By aiding States and counties with Federal funds, he said, they might be encouraged to do more for themselves.

He urged that the Commodity Credit Corporation, which supports agricultural prices, be made a permanent agency. He asked that import quotas on agricultural products be continued. He pleaded for research in production, marketing and distribution of farm products. He said farm cooperatives should be continued and freed from some taxes. He supported crop insurance, and asked that authority of farmers to enter marketing agreements be strengthened.

Cornelius Vanderbilt Divorced by 4th Wife

Los Angeles, April 22 (U.P.).—The fourth wife of Cornelius Vanderbilt, jr., divorced the railroad heir today on testimony he accused her of being in love with other men as well as with his money.

Mrs. Maria Feliza Pablos Vanderbilt, 29, Beverly Hills, asked for no community property and no alimony. Only a small out-of-court settlement was involved, her attorney, Jerry Giesler, said. She is the daughter of Rodolfo Pablos, millionaire Mexican cattle king.

The Thought Counts

Excelsior, Minn., (U.P.). — Mrs. Clara Peck, Excelsior, Minn., has given her husband the same Christmas card every year for the last 25 years.

145 Distaff Posts

Indianapolis, Ind., (U.P.).—At the end of 1946 there were 145 American Legion posts composed entirely of women. Of these, 84 posts were made up of World War II members.

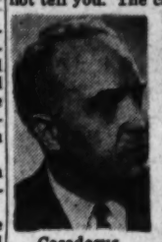
Postlude

Philadelphia Orchestra Acclaimed

Vauclain: Symphony; Mozart: Piano Concerto for the left hand; Revueltas: Sensemaya; Strauss: Don Juan. Philadelphia Orchestra, Robert Casadesus, pianist. Concerto in A Major; Ravel: Piano Concerto, Eugene Ormandy, conductor. Monday evening, Constitution Hall.

By Paul Hume

If you were there last night, you know what happened without being told. If you were not, words cannot tell you. The can only indicate feebly some sense of the glory of music which was enkindled in rarest fashion by a virtuoso orchestra and a great artist-soloist.



Casadesus

Robert Casadesus is one of the chosen few. His consummate genius as pianist is outdistanced only by the purity of his musicianship and the perfection with which he translates musical thought into superb performance. Only one other pianist of our acquaintance imbues the music of Mozart with such elegance, grace and spirit, and he is not at present before the American public. Casadesus presents the concertos of Mozart as music for piano and orchestra, with every phrase drawn from, and leading back to the ensemble. The shaping of each line is flawlessly molded, and its exposition utter delight. His superlative pianism was equal in Mozart and in the taxing concerto for the left hand by Maurice Ravel. Here is a matter of mood and technique alike, but the technique must conceal itself under a mantle of Gallic coloring, and a dazzling array of rhythmic figuration.

Every nuance of dotted rhythm, and of tone, was controlled by the soloist so that the whole emerged as one of the century's unique creations in music. As for the music, Ravel stands with Stravinsky and Strauss as one of the orchestral masters of our time and the Philadelphia Orchestra is a perfect channel for such music. Virtuoso playing was their easy conquest all evening. In Ravel as in the Strauss Don Juan which closed the program, their work was that phantasmagoria in sound for which they are famous, with tonal image yielding to more gorgeous image in overwhelming procession.

Two novelties appeared on the program. A one-movement symphony by a young Philadelphia composer, Constant Vauclain, opened the concert. Derivative and episodic, without the fusing cohesiveness which maturity may bring, the work possesses isolated passages of eloquence. Much more assured was the Sensemaya of Mexico's Silvestro Revueltas, who died in 1940 at the age of 40. Here with exciting effect, is a Latin conception of the fundamentals of Stravinsky's Sacre. To that Russian score have been added the primitive sounds of another people, but the elemental qualities are the same. It is stunningly orchestrated, and should be heard often. The orchestra did its best playing of the evening here, for it is eminently qualified to play such works. This is not to say that the Mozart, Ravel, and Strauss were not fine, but there were elements in each of those which fell just short of perfection. In the Revueltas, Ormandy and his players achieved a three-way union between composer's intent, conductor's technique, and orchestral skill.

The Don Juan seemed anticlimactic. Ormandy is no Monteux or Kindler in this score, and each of them has played it here within the past few weeks. Coming after Ravel and Revueltas, Strauss' mastery, though it has no superior, sounded out of place. Nevertheless, the performance gave us Tabuteau's oboe, and Hilsberg's violin and we would be poorer for having missed them.

Tonight, the orchestra appears again, with the Cesar Franck D Minor Symphony, and Salvatore Baccaloni as soloist.

Lewis, Operators Agree to Contract Talk Here Apr. 29

By the Associated Press

The Federal Coal Mines Administration said yesterday that John L. Lewis and a majority of soft coal mine operators have agreed to confer here April 29 on the question of resuming contract negotiations.

Navy Capt. N. H. Collisson, Coal Mines Administrator, said Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, informed him yesterday the union will be represented at the conference.

Collisson invited 32 operators' organizations to the meeting. He said several associations informed him that the Southern Coal Producers Association negotiating committee will represent them.

The Government seeks to get the union and operators into agreement by June 30 when Government operation of the mines must cease.

The Government took over the mines because Lewis and the owners were unable to get together on a contract and miners walked out under their policy of "no contract, no work."

Girl Bicyclist Hurt In W. Va. Auto Crash

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 22 (Spl.).—Ethel Tinsman, 17, residing near Hedgesville, this county, is in a local hospital as the result of an automobile-bicycle collision on State Route 9 near the Morgan County line yesterday.

She was riding the cycle which veered into the path of the truck driven by Maurice R. Tabler, of the county, investigating State Police said. They held the accident unavoidable on Tabler's part.

Clarkson Given Travelers Aid Post

Walter B. Clarkson, retired Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. vice president, yesterday was elected treasurer of the board of directors of the Travelers Aid Society.

He succeeds Ernest I. Lewis who resigned. The election took place at the monthly meeting of the board of directors.

Members heard Mrs. C. F. Alexander, executive secretary of the society, outline results of an experimental registration period—March 31 to April 12—during which Travelers Aid Societies throughout the Nation compiled information on travelers. Persons interviewed here were found to have come from 48 States, Canada, Peru, Puerto Rico, South Africa, England, Sweden, Mexico, Germany, France, Switzerland, Hawaii, Greece and Siam.

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Madrigals, the kind of music William Shakespeare heard, will be sung in honor of his birthday at 10:15 a. m. tomorrow at Wilson Teachers College, 11th and Harvard sts. nw., by the Madrigal Singers.

The singers, a 19-year-old organization, are led by Mrs. John Milton Sylvester. For the birthday celebration they have chosen music by John Bennet, John Farmer, William Byrd, Thomas Morley, John Wilbye and airs by unknown composers. The program is open to the public without charge.

Funds Favored to Bring War Brides to U. S.

One million dollars was voted yesterday by the Senate Appropriations Committee to bring American war brides and children from England to America by air.

The committee approved the additional funds after Army officials told them that 3000 dependents are still in England due to shortage of shipping. Chairman Bridges (R., N. H.) said the money—which must be approved by the Senate and House—will result in ultimate savings.

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Md. Phone Union and Firm Give Up on Peace Efforts

Baltimore, April 22 (AP).—The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Co. and the largest of four unions on strike against it broke off negotiations today and a Maryland settlement in the telephone strike appeared as far away as ever.

"We're back where we were three weeks ago," said a company spokesman.

This followed a brief session with Federal Conciliator Lucien F. Rye in which officers of the Maryland Federation of Telephone Workers reported the "no" answer voted by its members to a company proposal to arbitrate wage and working condition differences.

Henry B. Foster, president of the union, said members voted more than two-to-one against the proposal.

He asked the telephone company to make a wage increase offer, at least a temporary one while the final settlement is being arbitrated. The company referred him to its offer to arbitrate. The meeting broke up.

The Maryland federation is made up of about 2100 craftsmen who install and maintain telephone exchanges and other plants. It is the largest union on strike against the Maryland unit of the Bell system, although 5400 equipment workers also are out at the local plant of Western Electric, a Bell system subsidiary.

Hopes had risen for a settlement when union leaders agreed to take to their members a company proposal calling for arbitration of wages and five other issues and conceding 16 union demands on seniority, sick leave, vacations, payroll deduction of union dues and other points.

It was also felt such a Maryland settlement might set the pattern for resolving issues in the national telephone strike.

Four Motorists Awarded $1775 In Taxicab Crash

A District Court jury last night awarded $1775 to four plaintiffs who sued the Dixie Taxicab Association, a Dixie cab owner and the cab driver, for injuries suffered in an accident last June 3.

The awards were to Sergt. Guy Cheshire, AAF, 25, stationed at Andrews Field, $500; William H. Aaron, 34, of 432 Massachusetts ave. nw., $500; Pfc. Edward Hardison, 21, Marine, stationed at Henderson Hall, $275, and William Elliot, jr., 23, of the University of Texas, $500.

Cheshire had sued for $10,000, Aaron for $5000, Hardison, for $5000 and Elliott for $15,000.

Defendants in addition to the cab company, were Joseph Harris, of 666 G st. ne., operator of the cab, which collided with a car in which the four defendants were riding, and Garford M. Smith of 5010 Lee st. ne., owner of the cab.

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Louisville Medical Depot, Louisville, Kentucky	Drugs; Medicine; Chemicals; Laboratory Reagents; Surgical, Dental Scientific Instruments and Supplies; Hospital and Laboratory Equipment and Supplies.	PREVIOUSLY OFFERED	PREVIOUSLY OFFERED	PREVIOUSLY OFFERED	April 21	April 22, 23	April 24—Continuous

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Korean Unity

If Mr. Molotov's letter in reply to Secretary Marshall is to be taken at face value, there is hope of breaking the year-long deadlock over Korea. Despite the awkward and rather brazen attempt to shift to the United States the blame for the impasse, the very fact that Russia is willing to consider resuming negotiations is in itself encouraging. For the principal losers in the breakdown of the Joint Korean Commission have been the Korean people. And anyone who recalls the promises made to them during the war must feel more than a little ashamed at the virtual strangulation which "liberation" has brought them to date.

The key to the Russian proposal is the interpretation to be placed on Mr. Molotov's first point, namely, "the establishment of a provisional Korean democratic government on the basis of broad participation by Korean democratic parties and social organizations . . ." A primary cause of the deadlock was the Russian refusal to consider as democratic any parties or groups which had opposed the concept of international trusteeship when that was discussed at the 1945 Moscow conference. The Korean Communists, who suddenly switched poles, were the only party qualifying as "democratic" by Russian standards. If Mr. Molotov's current suggestion is merely a reiteration of that view, then plainly further conversations with the Russians will be only another exercise in semantics. For this construction is a purely Russian invention and is a clear violation of the spirit of the broad base of Korean unity originally envisioned.

Certainly Mr. Molotov's second point, calling for "the establishment of democratic bodies of power throughout Korea by free elections on the basis of general and equal suffrage," is one that we can support. Indeed, it is in line with our own efforts to broaden suffrage by doing away with the antiquated "head-man" system of voting. Likewise, on paper at least, we are in essential agreement with Mr. Molotov's third proposal suggesting economic aid to develop Korea as an independent democratic state.

Korea is a particularly sensitive meeting point between Russian and American ideology. Obviously we cannot afford to sacrifice principle for mere superficial agreement. But nothing is to be lost, and possibly a great deal is to be gained, in resuming talks looking toward unification, trusteeship and eventual independence. For our own part, the wise course is to continue our policy of broadening the participation of all Korean political parties, especially the moderates, in our zone. This should be coupled with more extensive civilianizing of our military government and wide application of the economic help shortly to be asked of Congress. The more we nurture a strong, healthy economy in southern Korea, the more assurance there will be that real democratic principles will prevail when unification finally is achieved.

Cost Of Children

Those early-day, rural Americans who looked on children as labor assets would probably be shocked to learn that the cost of having, rearing and educating a child to the age of 18 years is $12,750. This estimate of a child's cost in a $5000-a-year-income family, as given in the current issue of the *Woman's Home Companion*, attests not only to the rise in living standards in this country but also to the change in thinking in regard to children. It shows a shift in emphasis from the child's obligations to the parents, to the parents' obligation to the child.

Birth costs of $650 (including layette) would be especially mystifying to a pioneer farm mother, who had her 7 to 14 children at home with the aid of a neighbor, or if she were lucky, a country doctor, who charged from $10 to $25. But today's higher birth costs—which prevail in families of all incomes—include more ultimate human economy in lives and health of mothers and babies. The cost of clothes in a modern child's budget reflects the social changes that have come to America. A girl's wardrobe to the time she is 18 is estimated as costing $1400, a boy's $1250. But the boy's food bill is higher. Urban life, social competition, the development of the fashion industry, also of advertising and promotion, have made children more expensive sartorially. Also commercial recreation and preventive medical care have added to the expense. Education through high school—paid for by the community through taxes—is estimated as about $1000 for each child. Also charged to the child are a share of home rental, household expenses, and home furnishings. And these figures, based on cost of living statistics for 1935-36, would be increased about 55 per cent by current prices.

The growing cost of having and rearing children may help explain why two-child and three-child families have become so prevalent. Also, as the more rugged and adventurous physical life has given place to safer and more standardized living, parents have become more protective of children and have sought to prepare them better for a world that is competitive in brains rather than brawn. Beyond all this, there is a general growing away from the idea that children exist for parents' use and exploitation or to furnish rods on which parents may lean. Most parents, including the great majority who don't have $5000-a-year incomes, aspire unselfishly to prepare their children for better and happier lives than they have known themselves. Today's high cost of rearing a child is one testimony to the democratic recognition of a child's rights and importance.

The Senate Approves

The overwhelming Senate vote approving the bill to help Greece and Turkey maintain their independence came as the full story of Communist conspiracy against Greece is beginning to take shape in Geneva. Mark Ethridge, American delegate on the United Nations Balkan investigating commission, has brought together an abundance of evidence showing that the Yugoslav government has been lending official support to a movement to detach the province of Macedonia from Greece and annex it to Yugoslavia. Numerous quotations and statements by Yugoslav officials and articles in official organs indicate what has been going on. Undoubtedly the whole story will be told for all the world to read. But this is not a new discovery. Much of the information which is now being shaped into what will probably be a report of the U. N. Balkan commission was known to President Truman and the State Department before the policy of aiding Greece and Turkey was formulated.

Russia's puppets in Bulgaria have also been playing the game of underground aggression with respect to western Thrace. The chief instrument of the Communists in applying their pressure to Greece has been the National Liberation Front (NOF), which has had its chief headquarters in Skoplje and Bitolj, Yugoslavia. It is not necessary to assume that either the Yugoslav or Bulgarian governments intended to invade Greece and take over territory as the first step toward the communization of that country. Communist technique calls for the much more subtle process of stirring up revolution and chaos, followed by the proclamation of an autonomous regime in the disturbed province and then subsequent annexation by the Communist country responsible for the agitation. The preliminary reports of Mr. Ethridge's findings indicate that this type of aggression was well under way against Greece. So vulnerable is the position of the Yugoslav government that its liaison representative with the investigating commission has never formally replied to Mr. Ethridge's numerous letters asking for an explanation of Yugoslavia's relation to the guerilla movement on the other side of the Greek-Yugoslavia border.

In these circumstances the United States had only the choice of helplessly watching this underground Communist aggression or of striking out boldly and openly to aid the intended victim before it was too late. To a people who love freedom this is virtually no choice at all. Positive efforts to arrest the spread of totalitarianism became, as Secretary Marshall has so pointedly said, "indispensable." That view has now been confirmed by the Senate, with only 16 Republicans and 7 Democrats dissenting. It thus becomes a genuine bipartisan policy.

The debate in the Senate was long and detailed. Every conceivable issue was threshed out. We suspect that the debate was followed by many members of the House as well as the Senate and that little discussion will be necessary at the south end of the Capitol. The important thing now is to get the bill on the books with a minimum of delay. It is inconceivable that the verdict of the House will be different from that of the Senate. But each week that passes without the healing influence of this program being made effective strains a delicate situation that is intimately related to the peace of the world.

Judicial Independence

Because of the varying interpretations put upon it, the "Memorandum on Removal Power of Congress With Respect to the Supreme Court" which Senator Wiley made public some weeks ago did not have the effect of "clearing the air," as he had supposed. The reason is plain enough. The report was never properly explained to the public. Research men in the Legislative Reference Service who prepared the memorandum wrote: "Congress perhaps can constitutionally provide for judicial removal of Federal judges for lack of 'good behavior'." That statement, standing alone, is loose, but it is coupled with the prior observation that "there is no power in the executive or legislative branches of the Government to remove or limit the tenure of Supreme Court justices . . . except as Congress is expressly authorized to act by impeachment for lack of 'good behavior'."

Certainly there is no warrant here for jumping to the conclusion, as some have done, that Congress has power to oust, through judicial trial, Supreme Court justices whom it may dislike or distrust. The confusion seems to arise out of the fact that the House of Representatives has tried, thus far without success, to provide for trial of accused judges in a special tribunal of Circuit Court judges, with the right of appeal to the Supreme Court. But this bill would not have applied to Supreme Court justices. Its whole purpose was to relieve the overworked Senate of the task of trying impeached lower-court judges—a task which it performs poorly with serious interruption of its legislative duties. If it should ever again appear necessary to impeach and try a Supreme Court justice, these arguments would not apply. The Senate could find time for such an important duty. It must be obvious, moreover, that no other tribunal could appropriately try a member of the one court created by the Constitution. Of course, that task could not be entrusted to judges of the lower courts, nor to the accused justice's brethren on the Supreme Bench.

So far as justices of the Supreme Court are concerned, therefore, the only conceivable method of removal is impeachment by the House and trial by the Senate. The fact that this is a difficult method and that it has not been used since the Jefferson regime attempted to impeach Justice Chase is one of the bulwarks of independence on the bench. Some of those who presented the case against Justice Chase freely asserted that Congress had the right to remove judges solely on the basis that the opinions they held were not compatible with the national interest. But this type of assault upon the independence of the judiciary has been thoroughly discredited in the course of our history. Only mischief can arise out of suggestions that Congress could discipline members of the Supreme Court by methods short of the constitutional device of impeachment.

Economy Or Chaos?

On March 1, 1946, the National Labor Relations Board had a backlog of 3875 unprocessed cases. On March 1 of this year, the backlog amounted to 5225 cases—an increase of more than one third. This is to say that the Wagner Act is being only partially administered. A great hue and cry would arise, no doubt, if the NLRB were to declare frankly that it could not keep up with its case load and would therefore limit its administration of the act, say, to the States east of the Mississippi or north of the Mason-Dixon line. That it is now, because of a shortage of personnel, unable adequately to discharge its congressional mandate is painfully apparent. If the cut in its appropriation ordained by the House is sustained in the Senate—almost 50 per cent less than the President's budget estimate and 10 per cent under the present appropriation—it will be forced to reduce its staff by about 50 persons and, as an inevitable result, will fall still further behind in its work.

This is an expensive form of economy. The board, like a court of law, has a statutory obligation to process cases brought before it for action; and it has small control over the number of cases filed with it. It is an instrument for the orderly adjudication of disputes or violations of the law which would otherwise dislocate the national economy. As Chairman Herzog of the NLRB told the Senate Subcommittee in charge of Labor-Federal Security appropriations, "Delays in the processing of cases impair the effectiveness of the (Wagner) Act by prolonging employer-employe tension and uncertainties. Further, delays often lead to strikes which prompt application of the judicial procedures of the board would prevent . . . Not only may impatience at the board's slowness in handling 'organizational issues' lead to self-help in the form of strikes, but delays in handling complaint cases often build up employer liability for back pay. In cases where elections are delayed, all parties—labor and management alike—are subjected to tensions which promote unrest."

The goal of economy which the Republican members of Congress have set themselves is, of course, an important one. It cannot be attained without a substantial paring of the President's budget which must necessarily entail the sacrifice of some desirable governmental services and activities. But the monetary saving must be weighed in terms of the sacrifice. In this instance it seems to us a form of saving that may prove dangerously costly. We can scarcely afford to carry unadministered or inadequately administered laws on our statute books. It can scarcely be considered economical to promote industrial chaos.

Negro College Fund

The 33 private colleges affiliated in the United Negro College Fund have embarked on their fourth Nation-wide drive for contributions to help in carrying on their work of developing Negro leaders and teachers. They aim this year to raise $1,300,000 to be used for teaching, salaries, student aid, equipment and maintenance. It is no vast sum as college endowments are reckoned nowadays. Yet with just such slender finances, these institutions have managed in the past, by virtue of their frugality in administration and the consecration of their faculties, to perform near-miracles in education. No doubt, a peculiar passion for learning and a singular sense of opportunity on the part of their student bodies have also had a great deal to do with their accomplishments.

A number of nationally known Negroes have emerged from these colleges—men and women who have made outstanding contributions to the Nation's wealth and welfare. But a far greater number, less well known, have turned quietly to work among their own people, imparting to others the knowledge they have gained, opening horizons of hope and opportunity, thrusting back the barriers of fear and ignorance which have so largely been the lot of Negroes in American life. Thus the work of these colleges is multiplied in effectiveness and expanded in impact as these young men and women carry on their missionary tasks. They deserve as well as need help from every citizen who can contribute to their great undertaking.

TULIP TREE

Like miracles of Chinese jade,
Carved blossoms of a tulip tree,
Along bare branches gently laid,
Hold raindrops in each chalice.

Such loveliness as this surprise
Of jeweled beauty is to me
More perfect than could meet the eyes
In treasure-house or palace.

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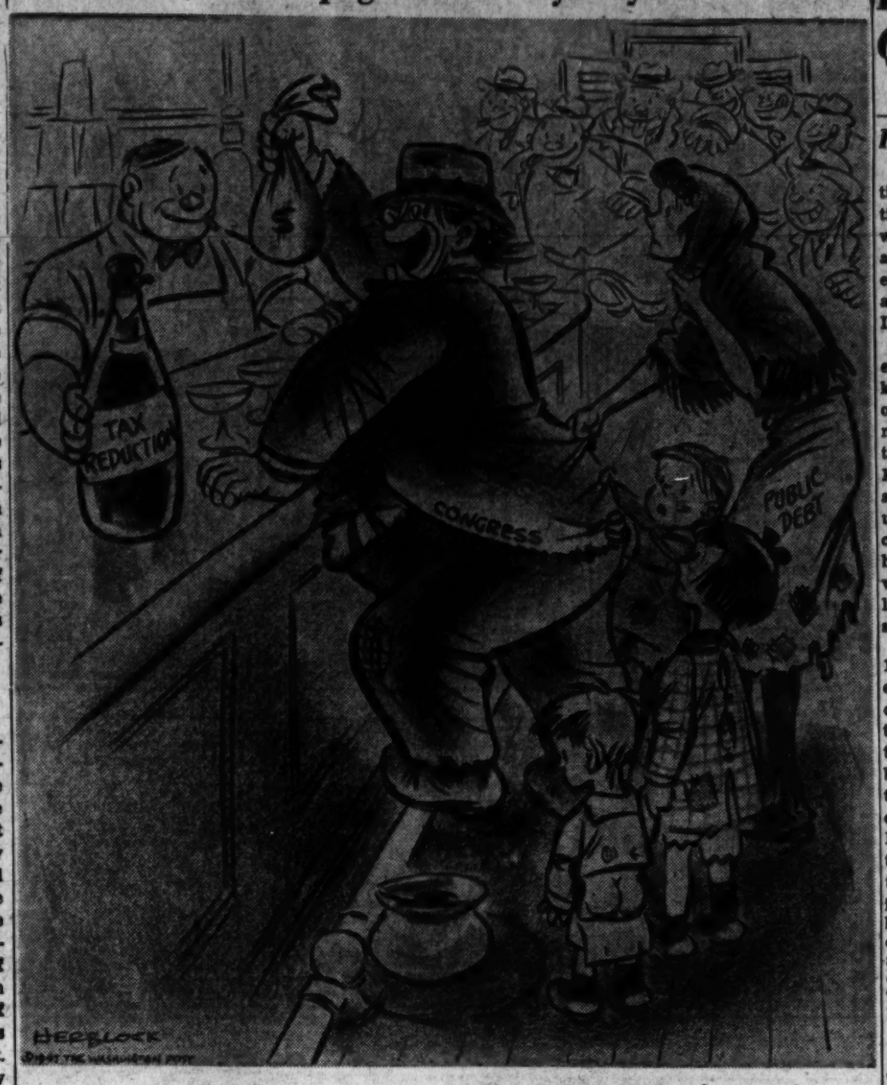

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"Dangerous Tangent"

Your April 20 editorial, "Dangerous Tangent," on our lend-lease commitment to the Soviet Union, is salutary. The pity is that such an editorial was not written as an immediate answer to the President's proposal on military aid to Greece and Turkey, for it was when that proposal was made that we went off on a tangent. Having done so, that is, having told the world that our might was going to be used against the Soviet Union—to lay aside the double-talk—the logical step now is to withhold economic aid to the Soviet Union, even though an honorable commitment was made.

The Truman Doctrine is not being distorted into an "unfriendly action," as you imply. It was an unfriendly act, if words have not altogether lost their meaning, and that act is now being followed through in all its awful logic. The Truman Doctrine is being seen more and more clearly for what it is, and by larger and larger sections of the population. The opposition that has taken on surprising proportions in Congress reflects that opinion, and if the vote can somehow be held off another few weeks the bill will stand no chance of passing.

Support is already so weakened that even some of the ablest proponents of the measure offer as their excuse, not their reason, mind you, that to do otherwise than support the bill now would damage our prestige. It would be letting the President down in the eyes of the world, runs the argument.

Far better that a President be "let down" than that a Nation be committed to a policy that can only bring dishonor—and ultimate defeat—upon it. A dishonorable course leads to further dishonorable action, as we are now seeing in the attempt to withhold economic aid to a wartime ally. We shall see far worse, if the course it not altered: we may see the shameful day when American guns in the hands of American young men in Greece will be used to shoot down a people who gave the world the word democracy.

RUTH E. CRAWFORD.
Washington.

Barney Circle

I ask space to reply to the petulant and unwarranted criticism of public officials, Federal and District, and the Capital Transit Co., made by M. A. Haskell in his letter of April 17.

The first half of the Sousa Bridge was opened on December 9, 1939. On December 1, 1939, the Public Utilities Commission gave formal approval of the plan for the construction of the streetcar and bus terminal and directed the transit company to proceed at once with the work, with the proviso that the entire cost be borne by the transit company. It further directed that when the new terminal was put in operation the company must remove its track in 15th and K sts.

The terminal is entirely on a Federal Government reservation. The plan is the combined work of the D. C. Highway Department, the Public Utilities Commission, the National Capital Park and Planning Commission and the transit company. The erection of Government office buildings at Suitland, Md., was not anticipated in 1939, nor was the very rapid growth in population of the whole Southeast section.

A study of the traffic problem at Barney Circle has been under serious consideration for some time. A public hearing was held March 26 on major highway improvements and projects. The records show that Captain Whitehurst, General Grant, Mr. Nolen and Mr. Merrill all agreed that something must be done to relieve the situation at Barney Circle. But before a final decision is made as to what will be done, careful consideration will be given to the possibility of a new bridge across the Anacostia River in line with Massachusetts ave. extended, the thought being that the use of this bridge might relieve automobile traffic as well as streetcar service now passing through Barney Circle.

CHARLES A. BARKER.
Washington.

Wallace Speeches

Henry Wallace's current performance is even more egregious than that of the British leftist Harold Laski, some time since!

If certain innocents abroad did not take Henry seriously, one would say that the following verses would perfectly apply to our own enfant terrible:

Little Willie hanged his sister;
She was dead before we missed her.
Ain't he cute and up to tricks,
Little Willie, only 6!

M. P. ANDREWS.
Baltimore.

Aside from loans to other countries, we would like to make two loans to Russia also consisting of one Henry Wallace and one Claude Pepper. We American people would be delighted to make these loans to Russia, make them permanent loans, free of interest, never to be paid back—outright gifts, if you please.

MARCUS A. STONE.
Florence, S. C.

Gruner Execution

I was profoundly shocked to read that the Jewish patriot and former British soldier, Dov Gruner, had been executed by the British military authorities in Palestine.

In the first place, the evidence on which Gruner was convicted consisted only of the fact that he was found near the scene of an attack on a British police station. No American court would consider this sufficient evidence on which to take a man's life.

Secondly, British authorities were well aware that an appeal was then pending with the Privy Council in London for Gruner's life. Since when have the British proclaimed their scorn for the elementary democratic right of appeal?

Thirdly, the British authorities had promised that arrangements would be made for religious rites for the condemned man; instead of that, a farce was made of the promise by the selection of a layman in the vicinity to perform the rites.

Fourth, in view of the weak moral position of Britain in Palestine today, having herself proclaimed her inability to carry out the terms of the Palestine mandate upon which her presence in the country is based, it should not have been difficult for the master minds of the United Kingdom to see that while the peace-loving Jewish community of Palestine has thus far refused to sympathize with the tactics of the underground organization, Irgun Zvai Leumi, such a brazen travesty on justice as was perpetrated in the execution of Gruner could have only one effect: a new growth of sympathy among Palestine Jewry for forcible resistance! REGINA VICKERS.
Washington.

Germany's Eastern Boundary

Appreciating the impartiality of your newspaper which allows its space to be used by a confessed Nazi, to give vent to his feelings about German border settlements, I am confident that you will not fail to grant the same privilege to a Polish newspaperman, desirous to express his views on this same subject matter.

I am referring to the letter of one Dr. T. Strauss of Braunschweig, Germany, which was published in your issue of April 5. As regards Herr Strauss' political adherence, there can be no doubt as to its nature, for he introduces himself to the American public as the last managing editor of *Schlesische Zeitung* "a paper with a tradition going back to Frederick the Great." The strict rules imposed upon the German press by Dr. Goebbels are only too well known and do not warrant any doubts as to the fact that Herr Strauss, as the editor of a German newspaper which maintained itself throughout the entire Hitler regime, was loyal to the Third Reich and the Nazi Party.

It is most deplorable that Herr Strauss and his kind consider it admissible to address Americans on behalf of the German people. It creates the suspicion that to this day the Germans have thoroughly failed to learn their lesson, and continue, unabashed, along their age-old path of nationalism and imperialism. When Herr Strauss speaks of the German people being "pressed into a narrow space," it sounds uncomfortably close to the famous *lebensraum* theory. Let us not forget that this theory was used as a justification for German dreams of conquest long before the Allies decided to separate the former German provinces east of the Oder and Neisse Rivers from the Reich.

The possession of these lands, far from putting an end to Germany's attacks on her neighbors, served her, on the contrary, as a springboard of aggression. The very fact of German rule there, was a result of the ruthless German *drang nach osten*, for these territories had been torn away from Poland after a long series of bloody wars of conquest, followed by a systematic and cruel extermination of the local Polish population.

The defeat of the Third Reich in World War II put a stop to this dangerous trend in German history, and turned the aggressors back to where the German *drang nach osten* had begun many centuries ago. In view of Germany's long established historical record, the peoples bordering that country have a right to seek security in such ways as they deem proper and effective.

If Herr Strauss appeals to American humanitarianism by describing the hardships of the evacuated Germans, it seems to me that his impudence has truly reached a peak. What about the millions of Frenchmen, Russians, Greeks, Belgians or Dutchmen who had been "evacuated" from their homes, not to be sent to their fatherland, indeed, but to abject slave labor for the master race? And what about the six million Poles and Polish Jews who were "evacuated" to death camps to be tortured and exterminated in gas chambers?

Of course, Herr Strauss follows the old familiar pattern, presenting his people as the innocent victim of circumstances. According to Herr Strauss, the Germans were unaware of Hitler's acts and therefore cannot now be held responsible. Are we to accept the absurd theory that it was just by an unpleasant coincidence that Germany started two world wars within one quarter of a century? If a great nation refuses to consider itself responsible for its policies over a period of 30 years, the only conclusion to be drawn is, that such a nation is irresponsible. An irresponsible nation, however, should on no account be allowed to have any say upon the solution of political questions.

STEFAN ARSKI,
American correspondent for the Warsaw daily *Robotnik*.
New York.

Population Quality

By Malvina Lindsay

Highbrows' Fertility

NOW THAT this country is getting babies in quantity, the question of population quality is being widely raised. Population experts are putting it to the Nation generally, and Walter B. Pipkin, author, is putting it to the Junior League specifically.

Concerned because college women have so few children, Mr. Pipkin has presented a questionnaire on the subject to Junior League members in this month's issue of their magazine. The Population Reference Bureau is making a study of birth rates among graduates of 35 women's and 38 men's colleges. Army draft records are being examined to determine from what family backgrounds came the large numbers of men rejected for selective service.

Studies made on the basis of the 1940 census showed that the lowest one third of the Nation in education and income was reproducing twice as fast as the highest one third. This differential may have been slightly changed in the wartime baby boom, since many parents were receiving higher wages. But population authorities think the general tendency of birth rates to go down as education goes up is continuing, and they are alarmed by it. If it continues for three generations (about 84 years), descendants of the group lowest in education and income will be nine times as numerous as those of the highest group.

YET THE AMERICAN democratic system demands for its survival and growth citizens of intelligence, character and education. Especially are creative brains needed to carry on scientific exploration as the country's physical frontiers decline.

The rise from the masses of such men as Benjamin Franklin and Abraham Lincoln is frequently cited to allay fears about the present trend of fertility. But where such exceptional persons have overcome their background handicaps, millions of others have not. These present increasing social and economic problems to society. A long-term study in England revealed that scholarship material was diminishing alarmingly as fertility among privileged classes decreased.

Whether or not one accepts intelligence test data showing that children with the best scores generally come from upper income, educated parents, the fact remains that such parents are able to give their children the best nutritional and educational grounding. Yet high school and college graduates are having one or two children, while persons with less than seven years schooling are having four. Geneticists also point out that in lower income groups the more intelligent parents usually have the fewest children.

THE ADAGE that old maids are found only in the "best families" is corroborated by Mr. Pipkin, who estimates there are twice as many single women college graduates as noncollege spinsters. He wants to know why. The present marrying craze on all income levels may be changing that ratio some, yet late marriage and nonmarriage among college graduates remain big factors in limiting offspring. However, divorce is less prevalent among college-educated couples.

If education could be stepped up, or young educated people would marry earlier, the situation might be helped. While the uneducated are marrying and reproducing, the man preparing for a profession is in training while his bride-to-be waits. The housing shortage now threatens to turn the birth curve even lower among the educated. Barring of apartments to couples with children and lack of roomy houses for families on average income mean smaller families in middle income groups. A recent survey by the Homemakers' Institute of 800 engaged couples in such groups showed 59 per cent had put off their weddings because of no places to live.

Geneticists believe the first step in halting what they call "human erosion" is to awaken the Nation to what is going on. They believe it possible for the birth differential to be reversed if emphasis is put on social measures that encourage those most fit physically, mentally, and economically to have larger families. But a program of general baby bonuses would only make matters worse.

Within The U. N.

To sustain its reputation as an independent newspaper it was well for *The Post* to publicize the April 19 letter by Edgar Faust.

Mr. Faust's letter shows no little ability to expose the shallow criticism of the reasons given by those who oppose this attempt to interfere in the internal affairs of another nation directly and to escape from any control thereof by the United Nations.

As Senator Taylor of Idaho declared in the Senate last week, there seems a lack of young, courageous leaders in the control of our international affairs who can make or intend to make the United Nations accomplish the purposes for which it was so nobly conceived. It must not be made to appear that we are so easily discouraged in such an organization, that we ignore the opportunity now in Greece and Turkey to demonstrate that it does possess all the elements required to insure the remedies needed and that our Nation has the will and the power to give all the aid that world power might require. For if it works in that case, why may we not have confidence hereafter that it can be made to work in every such case and so insure our faith in a world peace? HUBERT E. PAGE.
Washington.

Vicious Circle

By Sumner Welles

Perilous Stalemate Over Germany

THE COUNCIL of Foreign Ministers has been in session for six weeks. The conference has at least served to enlighten public opinion as to the real objectives of the four major powers. But the Allies are patently unable to agree upon the fundamental provisions on which a German settlement must be based.

The Soviet government insists that the imposition of the reparations payments it demands is the "heart" of a German treaty. While Secretary Marshall has agreed to consider some adaptation of the proposal that current German production be applied to reparations, he has rejected any scheme which would siphon such payments out of the pockets of the American taxpayers.

No progress has been made in the debate on Germany's future frontiers. The British and American governments support the French demand that the economy of the Saar be linked to that of France. The Soviet Union refuses to consent. The Soviet government, on the other hand, declines even to discuss the return to the Germans of some of the agricultural lands comprised within the 100,000 square kilometers of German territory occupied by the Poles. Mr. Molotov maintains that what the Potsdam agreement stipulated in that regard means the precise contrary of what it clearly says. There is no agreement as to the future control of the Ruhr.

By its counterproposals, the Soviet government has de facto rejected the long-term military pact designed to prevent future German aggression, sought by the United States, Great Britain and France.

There is no approximation of views as to the nature of the future German state. France still seeks political decentralization. Great Britain and the United States favor a German federation which would guarantee some measure of local autonomy to the individual German states. The Soviet Union persists in its demands for the reconstitution of a united Germany under an all-powerful central government.

THE NEGOTIATIONS at Moscow have entered a vicious circle.

How can a reparations schedule be agreed upon before the boundaries of Germany have been fixed, before the nature and the extent of Germany's resources have been determined, and before an understanding exists as to the level to maintain? It is equally clear that the final decisions of the Western powers as to Germany's boundaries, as to her resources and level of production, and as to reparations payments, must be in great part contingent upon the future political structure of Germany as well as upon the conclusion of a military alliance which can prevent future German aggression.

The dangers inherent in a continuation of the present deadlock are very great. There can be no reconstruction of Europe until a German settlement has been reached. Further delay means the increasingly swift political, social and economic degeneration of all of Europe. It also means that the faith of the peoples of the Western democracies in a new world order based upon the United Nations will be weakened, that they will once more be tempted to rely exclusively upon naked military power, and that the trend toward a two-world system will be greatly accelerated.

But the danger of attempting to avert these calamities by now resigning ourselves to some weak compromise would be even greater. If we adopt that solution Germany will become a buffer which the Soviet Union and the Western powers will each attempt to use for strategic purposes. By playing off the great powers, one against the other, Germany would rapidly be enabled to regain her political, industrial and military strength, thereafter to resume her attempt to achieve world hegemony. Under such conditions, all hope for the eventual establishment of a democratic European federation would have to be abandoned.

THE VICIOUS circle in Moscow will not be cut unless the United States and the Soviet Union can reach a direct agreement upon the basis for an overall settlement as a result of which the United Nations can guarantee their legitimate interests in every part of the world.

The strength of Russia's position should not be underestimated. By persisting in her present intransigence she can promote the social and economic collapse of Europe. She can create conditions which are conducive to a world-wide growth of communism.

But the position of the United States is far stronger. By its recent policy the United States has now made it plain that it will not withdraw from Europe, and that it will not consent to further Soviet expansion. If the United States only implements this policy effectively, the Soviet Union will be contained.

The resulting stalemate would gravely prejudice the vital interests of the Russian people. It would prevent the fulfillment of the new five year plan, and make it altogether unlikely that Russian industrialization could be measurably increased, or Russian living standards be raised, within the foreseeable future. And the Russian people are desperately weary.

Such a stalemate need not necessarily lead to war. But it will certainly not result in the growth of those conditions which can make for a real peace.

If this stalemate, with all of its disastrous consequences, is to be averted, a final effort must be made to cut the vicious circle. The outcome depends upon the vision of the highest authorities in the Kremlin and in Washington, and upon their willingness to make a further attempt to negotiate the broad bilateral understanding upon which the fate of the world must now depend.

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Blow To Understanding

ASSISTANT Secretary of State William Benton was testifying the other day, before a House Appropriations Subcommittee, on the State Department's information program. Suddenly Chairman Karl Stefan interrupted the questioning to ask the ladies please to leave the room.

Childs

Benton was astonished. He could not imagine what was coming next. He had heard reports of how Government officials were put on the rack and tortured by congressional committees but he could not believe it was about to happen to him.

When the ladies, including one of Benton's assistants from the State Department, had left the hearing room, Stefan pulled out a book from under the table. Fixing Benton with an ominous look, he announced that this was one of the books which the State Department was sending abroad to libraries in American information centers in 24 capitals.

Then the chairman began reading a lurid passage describing in anatomical detail a love affair between two of the characters. Committee members giggled, exchanged embarrassed looks, and finally, as the reading continued, glared at the witness.

Benton had vaguely heard of the novel. He recalled that it had been banned in Boston and that court action had been taken in New York. But how it had got onto the State Department list of books to be sent abroad he had no idea.

WHEN STEFAN stopped reading, committee members piled onto Benton with angry and accusing questions. They made it sound as though he himself had deliberately chosen the offending book. Benton could only say that obviously a mistake had been made somewhere down the line, and that he would look into it and correct it at once.

This did not, however, stop the barrage. It was ended by the noon recess, when Benton promised to come back for more questioning on his high crime in approving such a book to represent American literature to foreign audiences.

During the noon hour, Benton had a chance to find out the actual circumstances. This is what had happened. The novel in question had been selected from a publisher's list, since the author had a high literary reputation both in this country and in Europe. But when someone in the State Department read an advance copy of the book, it was immediately taken off the list and the advance order for 24 copies was canceled.

When Benton resumed the witness stand, he told the committee what had happened. They did not seem to feel that the explanation condoned the original fault. Stefan went so far as to say that putting the book on the list nullified any good that the 31-million-dollar information program might do.

THE ATTACK on Benton, as on one or two other occasions, seemed to be out of all proportion to the cause. It looked as though the Republican committee members had already reached a decision to meat-axe the information appropriation and were deliberately seeking some justification for their decision.

Another time when Benton faced Stefan, the chairman held up photographs of modern American paintings which were part of an exhibit that the State Department purchased and is circulating in Europe. He demanded that Benton tell him what the pictures were about. This went on for several hours.

It so happened that, at that very moment, the pictures were being exhibited in Prague, where they attracted so much favorable attention that President Eduard Benes asked permission to show them in other cities in Czechoslovakia. He even got the Czech government to put up $6000 to pay for the cost of sending the exhibit around the country.

The pictures in the exhibit cost the State Department about $50,000, which was the occasion for loud jeers by committee members. Not long afterward, a prominent art firm in New York offered to buy them for half again as much as had been paid for them. Incidentally, the modern exhibit is only one of several the department is circulating. One particularly striking exhibit is of industrial art.

There is a terrible irony in all this. Among those who sneer and jeer loudest at any effort to further understanding between peoples are the noisiest sword-rattlers who talk about spending billions for "defense" in every corner of the globe. Not one cent for understanding but billions for armaments, seems to be their motto.

Matter Of Fact

By Joseph Alsop

Misery In the GOP

BITTERNESS and gloom are taking an astonishing hold upon the small band of moderate and progressive Republicans in Congress. They are just as anxious to win the 1948 election as their party's more conservative congressional majority. Six months ago they shared the general Republican optimism. But now they are increasingly convinced that the party majority is throwing the election away with both hands.

One good reason has just become apparent. After a bitter row, the House Appropriations Committee has insisted on sharp cuts in all power, reclamation and flood control projects. The purpose is economy, but everyone knows that the aboriginal wing of the public utilities industry has been working to intensify this purpose, as it worked to intensify Republican suspicions of David E. Lilienthal. Since the House leadership has reduced the individual members to the state of automata, the committee is likely to be upheld in the lower chamber. Senate action on the cuts is uncertain, but the chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, Bridges of New Hampshire, has a long record of hostility to public power.

As a result, the Republicans of Oregon, Washington, California and the other States of the West and Northwest are up in arms. Such projects as Bonneville and Grand Coulee, the Columbia Basin and the Central Valley are vital to their constituencies. And if the conservative Eastern and Midwestern Republicans succeed in cutting the gizzard out of these projects, they will simultaneously cut the gizzard out of their own party in the West and Northwest.

The effects in the East of the Republican majority's labor policy are even more interesting, although less easy to demonstrate conclusively. No doubt majority sentiment in the country is now antilabor. Yet the fact remains that the shrewdest and ablest Eastern Republican leaders apparently think that it is suicidal to pass the kind of violent and punitive labor bill just approved by the House, or even the milder measure advocated by Senator Taft, of Ohio. This was the real reason of the extraordinary Republican conference on labor legislation a little more than a week ago.

AT THIS conference Senator Taft, chairman of the Labor Committee, complained with some bitterness that control of his committee had been snatched from him by a "coalition" formed by Senators Aiken of Vermont, Ives of New York, and Morse of Oregon, with the committee's "four New Deal Democrats." He stated that he would therefore advocate strengthening amendments to the committee bill. He explained that he wanted an omnibus bill on the naked ground that it would confront President Truman with a take it or leave it proposition. He admitted that a presidential veto was to be expected. He allowed further that the "same coalition" as had appeared in the committee could probably sustain a veto on the Senate floor. But this he actually described as desirable, on the ground that the President would then be blamed by the country for the failure to pass labor legislation at this session of Congress.

Senators Ives, Morse, and Lodge of Massachusetts strongly disputed the remarkable thesis that the aim should be, not to pass the best labor bill possible, but simply to put the President in a hole. Lodge especially made an impassioned plea for a truly "national" thinking, warning against the poisons that could be generated by a political approach to the labor issue. One might have supposed that Lodge's views would have carried some weight. He and Senator Saltonstall together rebuilt Massachusetts Republicanism from its ruins; he got the largest percentage vote in the last election scored by any candidate except Vandenberg of Michigan; and he is one of the soundest practical politicians in the Senate. But Senator Jenner of Indiana rather condescendingly reminded him that "this was politics," implying that Lodge knew little of this manly pursuit, and that the national approach was only for visionaries and mollycoddles.

BESIDES LODGE and Ives, Taft was opposed by four other Easterners—Saltonstall, Smith of New Jersey, and Aiken and Flanders of Vermont. These six men together are incomparably the strongest concentration of good judgment and political appeal that could be assembled among the Easterners in the Senate. Against them, the pecksniffian Brewster of Maine, the solemn Bridges, and the meaningless Hawkes of New Jersey weigh very lightly in the balance. If these six are unanimous as to the views of their constituents, the Midwesterners who comprised the backbone of Taft's support were not improving their party's chances of carrying the crucial East. No power on earth can give the Republicans an electoral victory if they lose the Northwest and the populous Eastern States in addition to the solid South.

The truth behind this seeming puzzle is very simple. At the Republican conference on rent control, Senator Bricker of Ohio disclosed the inner thought processes of many members of this Midwestern Republican group. He said that rent controls ought to be relaxed immediately because the job would be hard to do in election years. He asked that the job be done quietly to avoid arousing the voters. And he concluded plaintively that if the landlords were not taken care of in this manner, "it would not be the same kind of Republican Party I am used to." Unfortunately, the kind of Republican Party the Ohio Senator has been used to may not be the kind of Republican Party that can carry a national election. That is plain, if the results in the Chicago mayoral election are added to the troubles in the West and East.

The worst of it is that the extreme Republican conservatives have only one way out of their dilemma. If the President vetoes an omnibus labor bill, he will have no weapons in hand to control John L. Lewis and prevent a catastrophic coal strike in July. A catastrophic coal strike might conceivably provoke a wave of national hysteria beneficial to the extreme conservatives. But before turning John L. Lewis loose on the country, the Republican conservatives ought to remember that when one political extreme gains, the other always gains also. And that is the way to break down the structure of American politics.

Queen Gets Doctorate

Capetown, April 22 (AP).—Britain's Queen Elizabeth today accepted the honorary degree of doctor of laws from the University of Capetown.

Wei to Govern Formosa

Nanking, China, April 22 (U.P.).—The Executive Yuan today appointed Dr. Wei Tao-Ming, former Ambassador to Washington, as governor of rebellious Formosa.

What's Going On and Where

Activities for Servicemen

Victory Canteen for Servicemen, 1112 Pennsylvania ave. nw., games and refreshments, 7 to 11 p. m.

Salvation Army USO, 801 Market sp. nw. (8th and Pennsylvania ave.), voice recordings, 6 p. m.; midweek game night, hot dogs and coffee, 9 p. m.

Penthouse USO, 17th and K sts. nw.; informal games in lounge, 7:30 p. m.; gym open for basketball, badminton and ping pong, 6 p. m.; dancing, 9 p. m.

Art Galleries and Exhibits

Library of Congress, 1st and East Capitol sts., open 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.

National Gallery of Art, 6th st. and Constitution ave. nw., open 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Smithsonian Institution, 10th st. and Independence ave. sw., open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

Barnett Aden Gallery of Art, 127 Randolph pl. nw., open 6 p. m. to 10 p. m.

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Bids Received For Maryland Road Work

Baltimore, April 22 (AP).—The Bituminous Construction Co. of Baltimore was the only bidder today on the job resurfacing 5.7 miles of the Baltimore-Washington boulevard, the Maryland Roads Commission announced.

The Baltimore firm offered to do the work with stone for $287,360.25 and with slag for $267,760.25. The project calls for asphalt covering on the boulevard beginning at Paint Branch, north of University lane, to the District of Columbia line on Bladensburg ave.

The section through College Park will include a curb down the middle of the road and concrete curb and gutter.

The Eastern Highways Co. of Brooklyn, Anne Arundel County, was low bidder on a paving project near Fort Meade and the only bidder on widening and surfacing of Crystal Springs ave. in Prince Georges County.

The Brooklyn company bid $63,399.50 for asphalt surfacing of about one mile of Crystal Springs ave. from Central ave. to the Marlboro road.

On alternate bids for paving 4.023 miles of the Laurel road near Fort Meade, Eastern estimated $51,537.25 for stone and $49,968.60 for slag.

The next two low bids on the same type of bases were Bituminous Construction Co., $58,043.75, and $53,420 and the Contee Sand & Gravel Co. of Prince Georges County, $58,851 and $55,939.75.

Italian Fleet's Fate a Mystery

By the United Press

The mystery of who gets what out of the captured Italian fleet remained as dark as ever last night following publication of a Big Four agreement on division of Italy's surviving naval vessels among the United States, Britain, Russia and France.

A State Department announcement on the subject merely confirmed that an agreement to divide the Italian fleet was signed at Paris on April 10. The names of the Italian ships to be allocated to each of the four major powers will be published "at a later date," the announcement said.

Consuls Appointed

Manila, April 22 (AP).—The Philippine affairs department today approved appointment of Col. E. M. Grimm, former member of General MacArthur's staff, as consul general here for Panama and Karl Gustaf Arno as consul for Sweden.

St. Lawrence Seaway Bill Reintroduced

By The Associated Press

Senator Langer (R., Ind.) yesterday introduced legislation to authorize the multimillion-dollar St. Lawrence seaway and power development.

The legislation, Langer said, is identical to that which the Senate Foreign Relations Committee reported favorably last year but which did not reach a Senate vote.

Chinese to Conscript

Shanghai, April 22 (AP).—Central News Agency said today conscription would start in Shanghai within two months an that 3000 men, 20 and 21 years of age, would be called up.

Cumming Issues Another Warning About Smallpox

District area residents yesterday were again urged to seek immunization against smallpox if they had not had effective immunization within the past five years.

The warning came from Dr. James G. Cumming, director of the District of Columbia Health Department's Bureau of Preventable Disease, following a smallpox death in Camden, N. J., from the same malignant type of virus smallpox reportedly now on the wane in New York.

More than 1000 District of Columbia government employes have been vaccinated for smallpox during the past week, Dr. Cumming said, and a large number of these persons had never had any form of vaccination before. This indicated, he said, that there probably is a considerable number of persons without smallpox immunization in the community.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Which one did you say has the million dollars, Gertie?"

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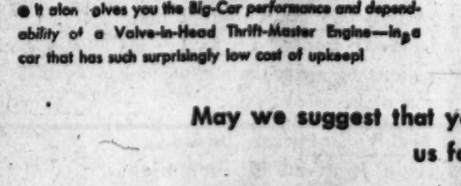

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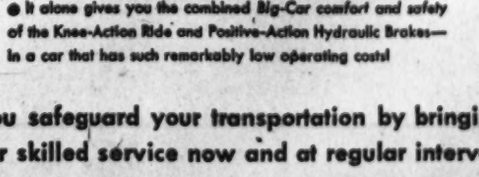

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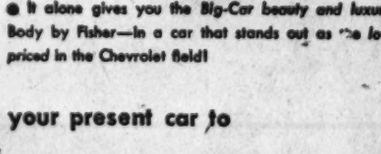

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"I do not believe we can fight Communism successfully with arms, but if that be our decision, we must fight it in Moscow, not Greece, not Turkey, not France, not all over the globe . . . We must fight it at its fountainhead."

'A Bill for Peace'

Senator Tom Connally (D., Tex.), former chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, made the closing argument for the bill.

Finally denied the bill is directed "against" Russia.

"This is a bill for peace, not war," he shouted. "It isn't 'against' anything, unless it be aggression . . . If Russia wants communism, let her have it. If she wants a totalitarian dictatorship, let her have it. We want to be friends with Russia. This is not against Russia."

Galleries Are Filled

Long before the agreed voting hour of 4 p. m. the galleries were packed. Several House members came over for the vote. Representative Helen Gahagan Douglas (D., Calif.), who voted "present" on the bill in the House committee, took a seat on the floor near Senator Pepper.

When the clock ticked the hour, the clerk called the roll, first on the Johnson amendment barring military aid, next on the Robertson motion to table, and finally on the bill itself. The Senate had been debating since April 7. But the voting took just 30 minutes.

Senate Roll Call on Aid Bill

By The Associated Press

Here is the vote by which the Senate yesterday passed and sent to the House the Greek-Turkish aid bill:

FOR THE BILL, 67

Republicans for, 35

AIKEN (Vt.)
BALDWIN (Conn.)
BALL (Minn.)
BREWSTER (Me.)
BRIDGES (N. H.)
CAIN (Wash.)
CAPEHART (Ind.)
CAPPER (Kan.)
COOPER (Ky.)
CORDON (Ore.)
DONNELL (Mo.)
ECTON (Mont.)
FERGUSON (Mich.)
FLANDERS (Vt.)
GURNEY (S. D.)
HICKENLOOPER (Iowa)
IVES (N. Y.)
JENNER (Ind.)
KNOWLAND (Calif.)
LODGE (Mass.)
MARTIN (Pa.)
McCARTHY (Wis.)
MILLIKIN (Colo.)
MORSE (Ore.)
REED (Kan.)
RAY CRYSTALL (Minn.)
SMITH (N. J.)
TAFT (O.)
TEYE (Minn.)
TORRY (N. M.)
VANDENBERG (Mich.)
WATKINS (Utah)
WHITE (Me.)
WILEY (Wis.)
YOUNG (N. D.)

Democrats for, 32

CHAVEZ (N. M.)
CONNALLY (Tex.)
DOWNEY (Calif.)
McCARRAN (Nev.)
McCLELLAND (Ark.)
McFARLAND (Ariz.)
EASTLAND (Miss.)
ELLENDER (La.)
FULBRIGHT (Ark.)
GEORGE (Ga.)
GREEN (R. I.)
HATCH (N. M.)
HAYDEN (Ariz.)
HILL (Ala.)
HOEY (N. C.)
HOLLAND (Fla. C.)
JOHNSTON (S. C.)
LUCAS (Ill.)
MAYBANK (S. C.)
McGRATH (R. I.)
McMAHON (Conn.)
MYERS (Pa.)
O'CONOR (Md.)
O'MAHONEY (Wyo.)
OVERTON (La.)
ROBERTSON (Va.)
RUSSELL (Ga.)
SPARKMAN (Ala.)
STEWART (Tenn.)
THOMAS (Utah)
TYDINGS (Md.)
UNDERWOOD (N. C.)

AGAINST THE BILL

Republicans Against, 16

BRICKER (O.)
BROOKS (Ill.)
BUCK (Del.)
BUSHFIELD (S. D.)
BUTLER (Neb.)
DARBY (Kan.)
HAWKES (N. J.)
MALONE (Nev.)
LANGER (N. D.)
MOORE (Okla.)
REVERCOMB (W. Va.)
ROBERTSON (Wyo.)
WHERRY (Neb.)
WILLIAMS (Del.)
WILSON (Iowa)

Democrats Against, 7

BYRD (Va.)
JOHNSON (Colo.)
McKELLAR (Tenn.)
MURRAY (Mont.)
O'DANIEL (Tex.)
PEPPER (Fla.)
TAYLOR (Ida.)

Not voting, but announced in favor of the bill:

BARKLEY (Ky.), MAGNUSON (Wash.), WAGNER (N. Y.), all Democrats.
KILGORE (W. Va.), THOMAS (Okla.), and

Mother Eve's Tomb Was Hoax But Profitable to Builders

Jedda, Saudi Arabia, April 12 (AP). The legend that Eve was buried in this Red Sea coast town is dying. A large "tomb" for Mother Eve has been demolished and the gates to the burial ground have been bricked up.

A European, who has lived here for 35 years and has become a Moslem, said research had brought out this story:

Jedda is the Red Sea gateway to the Moslem holy cities of Mecca and Medina. Pilgrims landed here but didn't tarry.

The Jedda merchants pondered this untourist-like habit and decided something should be done.

"What we need here is a holy place," the merchants decided. Jed was Arabic for grandfather. The feminine form would be Jedda, and after all wasn't Eve the grandmother of the human race?

A tomb 360 feet long was constructed and the merchants sent their servants among the incoming pilgrims. The servants passed the word that the thing to do in Jedda

BOGUS TOMB OF MOTHER EVE

was to visit the tomb of Mother Eve and offered to act as guides.

A cupola was built near the center of the long tomb and into the cupola well the merchants' guides would drop a few gold coins. The pilgrims, seeing this, decided the tomb must be a very holy place.

followed suit. The merchants collected the cash.

The Wahhadi, or Puritan Sect of Moslems, of which King Ibn Saud is a member, feel strongly against graven images and looked upon the visits to Eve's tomb as paganistic. In the 1920s the Wahhabi holy men had the gates walled up and later the tomb was torn down.

Now all that remains is a walled area with bricked-up gates.

For 1910 Model

Spalding, Neb. (U.P.).—Many people would give almost anything to own a new car. But not S. F. Gorney of Spalding.

Gorney can have a fine new Buick if he only comes to terms with the Buick people. But Gorney doesn't want to come to terms. He owns a 1910 Buick and prizes it so highly that he has refused the company's offer of a new car in exchange for his old model.

Gorney bought the car 37 years ago in Belgrade.

GALLUP

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Mr. Wallace's position in the party in relation to Mr. Truman was strongest last December, just after the November congressional elections which proved a setback to the Truman Administration. The President's popularity as a 1948 candidate fell to 48 per cent of those expressing a choice, while Mr. Wallace remained as popular as he had been some months before the election.

In 1944, although Democratic Party leaders bypassed Mr. Wallace in picking their vice presidential candidate, he was the top choice of the rank and file of voters in the Democratic Party for that post.

As the Institute reported at the time, Mr. Wallace led by a better than 4-to-1 majority over the next most popular figure as a possible vice presidential candidate, Alben W. Barkley. Harry S. Truman ranked seventh in popularity in a list of eight.

Mr. Wallace's ideas on foreign policy have not been popular with the general voting population. Last October he publicly disagreed with the policy toward Russia then being followed by James F. Byrnes, Secretary of State. A Nation-wide poll by the Institute found that among the people who said they had followed the discussion over the Wallace-Byrnes controversy, the overwhelming majority said they favored the ideas of Mr. Byrnes rather than of Mr. Wallace.

Quit Scolding Youth, Educator Suggests

Philadelphia (U.P.).—Adults make life difficult for adolescents because they have too many fears, according to Dr. O. Spurgeon English of Temple University medical school.

"Too many people admonish, criticize and scold, rather than enjoy the adolescent," Dr. English said. "As parents, we need to realize that the best chance of retaining a child and holding him as a friend when he reaches maturity, is to let him make his plans and allow him freedom while doing so."

2 St. Louis Universities Get Gifts for Research

St. Louis (U.P.).—Gifts totaling $800,000 have been given to St. Louis University and Washington University to be used in endowing research programs.

The larger of the two gifts went to St. Louis U. Stock in the Parasseal Corp. valued at $500,000 was given to the institution for research in experimental medicine.

Washington U. received its fund for establishment of a laboratory project in the chemistry of radioactive substances.

Last summer, St. Louis U. was given one of the largest endowments in the school's history. Oliver I. Parks, founder of Parks Air College, East St. Louis, Ill., gave a $2,500,000 air school to the university.

Firemen Do It Easy

Peckville, Pa. (U.P.).—Firemen of the Wilson Hose Co. took a short-cut when a fire broke out in a nearby house. The firemen left their truck in the firehouse and ran a booster hoseline out the back door to the blaze.

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Man Walked Equivalent Of 6 Times Around Glo

Pittsburgh (U.P.).—Albert Brooks, [illegible] walked the equivalent of six times around the world during his 42 years as a messenger, plans to do more "jauntin'" in his retirement.

Brooks retired as a messenger for the H. J. Heinz Co. He plans to return to his birthplace in Tennessee, where he will hike on frequent hunting trips.

Brooks was born 72 years ago, the son of a slave. While serving three generations of the Heinz family, he carried documents, letters and valuables without losing a single item. He wore out 60 pairs of shoes and three messenger sacks making his rounds.

Trains Collide; 15 Hurt

Booneville, Ark., April 22 (AP).—The Rock Island Railroad's eastbound Rocket from Amarillo to Memphis collided with the westbound Rocket at the Echo, Ark., switch, 10 miles west of here early today, injuring approximately 15 persons.

Dad Turns Baby Sitter —For Travel Money

Madison, Wis., (U.P.).—Teen-age "baby sitters" may find it tough to get a job if any more fellows like Jim Gerard turn up.

Gerard, 24-year-old law student at the University of Wisconsin, placed the following advertisement in a Madison newspaper:

"Baby sitter. Responsible father, law student, experienced diaper changer and bubbler. References furnished."

Madison's housing shortage forced Gerard to leave his wife and baby daughter at home in Freeport, Ill., when he came here to attend school. He decided to capitalize on his experiences as a parent to earn money for more trips home.

Belt 144 Feet Long

Minneapolis (U.P.).—The hides of 336 steers were needed to make a three-ply power transmission belt for use at the B. F. Nelson Manufacturing Co., makers of roofing and insulation materials. The belt, believed the largest of its kind in the world, is 144 feet long and 70 inches wide and weighs 2222 pounds.

Kitten Laundered

Oklahoma City (U.P.).—Workers at a laundry advertising "we clean anything" were surprised to find a kitten in one bundle of clothes. But the laundry lived up to its slogan and returned a clean kitten with a bright red bow around her neck home with the clothes.

Clerk Serves Hour

Hugo, Okla., (U.P.).—One official here had a short term of office. Haskell Floyd took the oath as Choctaw County clerk and resigned an hour later with the announcement he had a new job.

Fire Greets New Chief

Everett, Mass., (U.P.).—During his installation as commander of the Everett American Legion Post, fire broke out and Fire Chief James J. Evans delayed the ceremony while firemen put out the blaze. The firemen remained for the rest of the installation ceremony.

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The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisonous waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.
If the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters don't work well, poisonous waste matter stays in the blood. These poisons may start nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.
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Gossip From Gotham

New York, April 22.—Howard Dietz of MGM was at a Hollywood party, where he met the owner of Agua Caliente, who invited him to a weekend trip to the resort across the border. Dietz went with him to Agua Caliente and tried his luck at the crowded dice and roulette tables. On the way back to Hollywood Dietz told his host: "The gambling rooms were so crowded you must have cleaned up a fortune over the weekend" . . . "It doesn't work out that way," the man explained. "We had thousands of people there; some won, some lost. As a matter of fact, we made $3000. Oh, by the way," asked the Agua Caliente man who had brought Dietz there, "how'd you make out?" . . . "I lost," said Dietz, "$3100."

Dietz

Four of the judges in a recent Ten-Best-Dressed-Women contest succeeded in placing their wives and/or girl friends on the list . . . Leonard Reinsch, Truman's radio adviser, revealed that whenever the President makes a radio address he receives a Hooper rating report within two hours, so that he knows immediately whether his subject matter was of sufficient interest.

Tallulah Bankhead received a call from a friend who asked: "Have you read that article about you in the Sat. Eve. Post?". Tallulah explained that she'd been in the country, out of touch with magazines. "Well, it's absolutely divine. It's fascinating," said her friend. "In other words," said Tallulah, "you mean it's libelous." Miss Bankhead sent for a copy of the magazine, glanced at it and said: "You see? How dare they say I have bourbon before my coffee. I have it IN my coffee." . . . Just before "The Eagle Has Two Heads" closed, Lucienne Boyer saw Miss Bankhead's performance, then sent her flowers, with a note: "Not since Bernhardt." Tallulah, who rarely missed seeing Miss Boyer perform when the French star last worked here 10 years ago, saw her work at Cafe Society and sent her flowers with a note: "Not since You."

Ed Loughlin, the former leader of Tammany Hall, said he's glad to be out of politics. "From the way the news stories read," he sighed, "my family began to think I walked around with a machine gun" . . . The New Yorker is preparing a profile on Henry Wallace . . . Judith Evelyn will play the Ingrid Bergman role in "Joan of Lorraine" at the Utah Centennial Festival next month . . . The producers of "Arch of Triumph" sneak-previewed it in Hartford, Conn., last week . . . Fordham University has invited Morris Novik, LaGuardia's radio counsel, to join its advisory board for radio.

Buster Crabbe, the former Olympic swimmer who has become a star of Western films, tells this story of the meeting with Japanese Olympic officials, who were puzzled by the failure of the Jap swimmers to beat the American team. "Is it true," asked the Japanese, "that Americans put something into the water to keep our swimmers from winning?" . . . "Yes, it's true," they were told. "The Americans do put something into the water—Johnny Weissmuller."

William Shirer, whose last book was "Berlin Diary," is finishing another book . . . Viscount Alexander has invited Walter Duranty to come to Canada and and write his official biography. They have been friends for 20 years . . . The film studios have resumed their bidding for the services of Paul Green, the Pulitzer Prize playwright. Green submitted once and earned $104,000 in a full year's work in Hollywood. He used this money to pay off all the mortgages on his relatives' homes, and then quit to accept a $3500-a-year post at the University of North Carolina.

The Department of Justice's Abe Weissbrodt, who was a basketball star at CCNY, will be special assistant to the chief counsel at the war crimes trial of the I. G. Farben group in Nuernberg. He investigated I. G. F. for the Department of Justice two years ago . . . When a suggestion was made to Bert Stand, the deposed secretary at Tammany Hall, that he turn author and write a book about Tammany, he said: "Author? Is that a new name for stool pigeon?" . . . Joe Padway, the labor lawyer, has a first edition of the first published play by G. B. Shaw, who autographed it: "Some day this autograph will be worth more than the play."

Film Couple Have Son

Hollywood, April 21 (U.P.).—Actor Chester Morris and his wife, Lily, former Powers model, today received congratulations upon the birth of a son, Kenton.

Public May See 9:45 Screening

Puppets Trace Mankind From Eden to Atom, in Film Unveiled Tonight

By Richard L. Coe

WITH LEW AYRES as the narrator, an unusual film has its premiere tonight in Constitution Hall.

This is "The Way of Peace," sponsored by the Wartburg Press, publishing house of the American Lutheran Church.

Showings at 8:30 and 9:45 will be by invitation.

Ayres

At press time, however, we're told that the tickets being distributed by the Washington Federation of Churches will not fill the hall for the second performance and that the general public will be admitted for that showing as long as seats are available.

There are no actors in the cast. Animated puppets and miniature settings in color tell a story which "stretches from the creation to the predicted annihilation of all by atomic power." The purpose of the picture, says Pastor John Adrian Pfeiffer of the Takoma Lutheran Church, is that "unless individuals and nations begin to act soon in a Christian fashion toward each other, there will be a catastrophic end of humanity."

Curious as the film may strike you, it has powerful backing. We'll try to tell you later how the innovation comes off.

We can't confess we're exactly thrilled over the news that "David O. Selznick has just bought the Henrik Ibsen classic, 'A Doll's House' to star Dorothy McGuire." That's what it says. This is the feminist triumph wherein Nora slams the door in her husband's face because she doesn't want to be just a bit of fluff. Fifty years ago it was pretty hot for a gal to slam a door in anyone's face, particularly her husband's. But we can't see the independent wage earners all over America getting violently wrought up over Nora after all the things ladies like Joan Crawford and Lana Turner have accomplished in the business world. Selznick's no dope, of course, and maybe in the year that will elapse before Nora comes on the screen, women will be back in the kitchen screaming to be let out. We doubt it.

Finally ran into Sid Caesar before he left town. Sid's the guy whose mockery of a psychologist in "The Guilt of Janet Ames" made sport of what the picture was all about, dreams and stuff. At the time someone remarked that Columbia must have lost all faith in the picture halfway through shooting and tossed in Sid's gags for laughs. That was not so, says Sid. The comic claims they lost faith the first week and that before the halfway point was hit, no one on the set was speaking to anyone else. Sid's next probably will be on the stage in "The Fourth Little Show," with Marion Hutton, Betty's equally blonde sister.

Manager John Marcon of the Metropolitan is in a tizzy about the starting times of "The Locket," which opens Thursday. He's seen the picture and vows he'll lose friends if his patrons don't see it from the beginning. Laraine Day, says he, wrecks three men's lives, and to see what she does to Robert Mitchum, Brian Aherne and Gene Raymond you have to know how she gets started.

Despite Monday midnight's stern, cold winds, the Mount Vernon Open Air Theater insists that summer will be here by Saturday. Hence, midnight shows at the drive-in auto screen, with the last feature going on at midnight. That will be, this Saturday, "Renegades," sharing the bill with "Girls of the Big House." How do they pick double bills, anyway, by titles that conjure up wild thoughts?

That sixth annual Shrine Circus has 30 acts, but of all the gals involved, Victoria Zacchini is the one we'd like most to meet. Victoria is the "feminine bullet" who gets fired from the mouth of a giant cannon and winds up at the other end of Uline's Arena. In a "massive net," to be sure, but Vicky must be quite a favorite of the aspirin companies.

Stage Guild reports that its double bill, first performed at the Naval Receiving Station last week, will be repeated Friday night at the Arlington Hall Theater for Army and civilian personnel. Two one-acters, Noel Coward's "Ways and Means," and George Kelly's "The Weak Spot," are the plays. In the casts are Julie Curtis, Jack McLeaod, Helen Handley, Gloria Mitchell and Charles N. Hill.

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National—"Dear Ruth," at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

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RKO-Keith's—"The Best Years of Our Lives," at 11:15 a. m., 2:40, 6:05 and 9:30 p. m.

Palace—"The Yearling," at 11:05 a. m., 1:40, 4:15, 6:55 and 9:30 p. m.

Earle—"Dead Reckoning," at 11 a. m., 1:10, 3:20, 5:25, 7:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Capitol—"Carnival in Costa Rica," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:50, 6:35 and 9:20 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Trail Street," at 11:35 a. m., 1:40, 3:40, 5:45, 7:45, and 9:45 p. m.

Columbia—"It Happened in Brooklyn," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:15, 5:25, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

Little—"Henry V," at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Hippodrome—"The Ghost Goes West," at 2:25, 4:15, 6:10, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Pix—"The Mysterious Mr. Valentine," at 2:25, 5:30 and 8:35 p. m. "The Bridge of San Luis," at 3:30, 6:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Trans Lux—Short subjects and newsreels, continuous, 10:15 a. m. to midnight.

Open Air—"Because of Him," at 7:15 and 10:30 p. m. "She Wrote the Book," at 9:10 p. m.

Ambassador—"Dead Reckoning," at 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20 and 9:30 p. m.

Hindu Becomes Citizen

Los Angeles, April 21 (U.P.).—Lal Chand Mehra, film and radio actor, was granted American citizenship in Federal Court today. He was believed to be the first Hindu granted citizenship since passage of a law permitting American naturalization for members of this race. Mehra is the husband of concert violinist Georgia Williams.

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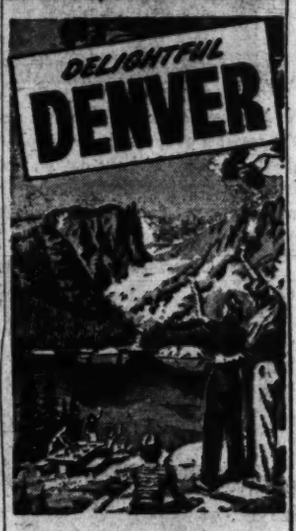

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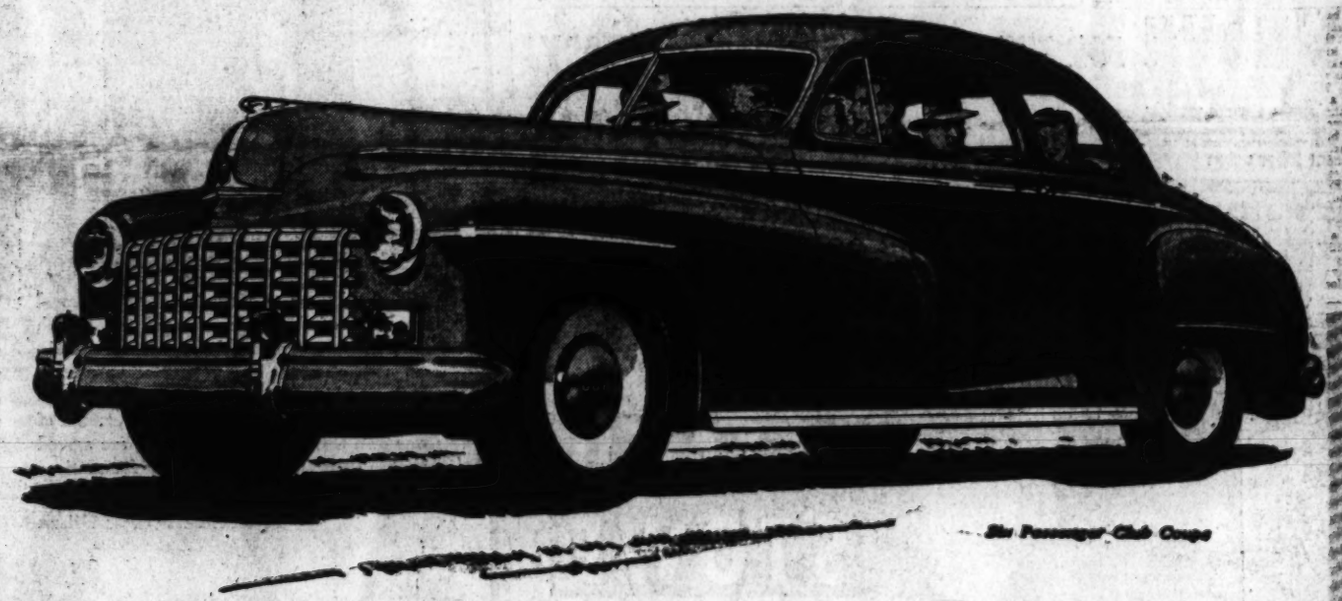

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Spear Still Good Food Provider

Darwin, April 12 (AP).—Spears still used by coastal aborigines of Australia's far north in their struggle for food show remarkable ingenuity. Some hit their mark with deadly effect at 100 yards and more. Others bring home big sea-cows.

These expert hunters display shrewd resourcefulness. For example, they not only obtain food from the stingray, but also the means for capturing more stingrays.

The serrated spine of the stingray provides the aborigines with tips for their spears. Fire-toughened wood, sharpened marsupial bones and stone are also used for spearheads.

The largest of the spears used by the Australian aborigines, and in fact the largest anywhere in the Pacific, is the great wap of the Murray Islanders of Torres Strait. It is used for hunting dugong.

A thick bamboo pole, never shorter than 15 feet, is fitted with a barbed spike of fire-hardened wood. A hundred feet of rope is tied through a hole in the spike. The other end is tied to a canoe.

Only a powerful man can launch such a great spear. The aborigine hurls himself overboard with the wap, driving it deep into the sea-cow's tough hide. When the spike is home, the native pulls the pole free of the spike and swims back to the canoe.

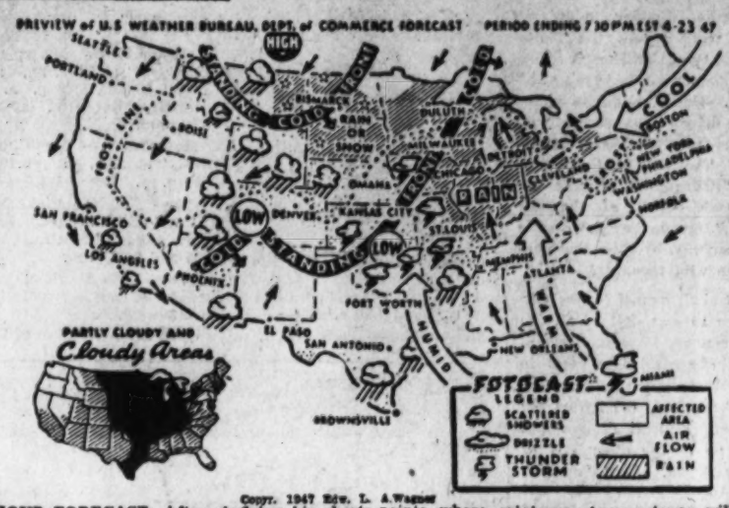
The dugong goes deep but when it has to rise again to breathe, a native swims to it and slips a looped rope round its tail. The natives haul on the tail-rope and keep the dugong's head down until it drowns.

Smaller spears are used for hunting kangaroos. With a woomera (throwing stick) which provides the thrower with an extra "forearm," natives can hurl a spear 100 yards or so with extraordinary accuracy and great force. The woomera is a straight piece of timber with a projecting peg at one end which fits into a small hole at the base of the spear.

Air Record Claimed

London, April 22 (AP).—Gloster Aircraft Co. claimed an unofficial world air speed record today, announcing that a jet-powered Gloster "Meteor IV" averaged 630 miles an hour on a 500-mile flight from Brussels to Copenhagen yesterday.

National Weather Summary



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24-HOUR FORECAST: After studying his charts and air flow patterns the Weather Bureau forecaster says, "Temperatures will rise from Georgia to New York, Wednesday, as warm air from the Gulf of Mexico flows northward. It will be warmer in Washington and Oregon Wednesday while cool temperatures will persist in New England."

Rain is predicted for the Lakes region and rain or snow will occur in the Dakotas. (Affected areas on the FOTOCAST show where precipitation is predicted.)

Skies will be cloudy from eastern Texas through the Plains States to the Canadian border and the upper Lakes region. Clear skies will be limited to the Pacific northwest, central Florida and along the coast from New York to Virginia.

Showers are pictured for the Rockies and from the Central Plains through Texas to southern California Wednesday. Thunderstorms will develop in Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma.

The frost line on the FOTOCAST is drawn through points where minimum temperatures will be 34 degrees Wednesday morning.

Gardeners, orchardists and shippers should protect perishable plants and merchandise against frost damage for all points north of this line.

The frost-affected area shows where visible frost will form. Favorable wind and humidity as well as temperature determine the appearance of a frost.

Most of the rain and snow shown on the FOTOCAST will occur as warm, moist air from the Gulf of Mexico clashes with cold air from central Canada. (See air mass arrows and affected areas.)

Maximum temperatures Wednesday will range from 86 degrees at Miami to 40 degrees at Duluth. Sample maximum forecasts include Atlanta 76; Nashville 75; Los Angeles 73; San Francisco 66; Philadelphia and Seattle 62; Washington 67; New York 58; Buffalo, St. Louis, Albany, Chicago and Detroit 55; Hartford 56; Kansas City 52; Milwaukee 50; Boston 48, and Bismarck 45 degrees.

TOWN

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sent over delegations who reported steps already under way to seek similar pledges from their merchants.

Recalls NRA Era

Opening day shoppers found the participating stores trimmed with red, white and blue pennants and placards recalling the "Blue Eagle" symbols of the NRA era.

Mayor John M. Kelleher said the Newburyport plan was "not a mark-down sale . . . but a refund to the consumer which retailers are making in an effort to bring into balance an economic machine which is seriously out of adjustment."

The mayor said the principal purpose of the plan was to create sales because:

"Without sales we cannot maintain the tempo of production, and if production is not sustained, unemployment results and purchasing power drops."

Norman J. Randall, executive secretary of the Northeast Development Council which is backing the campaign, said the merchants of Newburyport—some of them descended from the Yankee clipper tycoons of centuries ago—turned away scores of salesmen on the eve of the plan. They told the salesmen:

"Come back when your prices come down."

May and Garsson Brothers Go on Trial for War Frauds

By Dillard Stokes
Post Reporter

Former Congressman Andrew J. May went on trial for bribery and conspiracy in the District Court yesterday.

On trial with May are the Garsson brothers—Murray and Henry—who ran a letterhead into a munitions combine that got 78 million dollars' worth of war orders.

The Government claims May conspired with the Garssons and their manager here, Joseph F. Freeman, who is the fourth man on trial, to sell them his services for some $50,000 when he was the Democratic chairman of the House Military Committee. During the war, May is alleged to have run the Garssons' errands, wangled promotions and stateside duty for their friends and put heat on the Army to give them contracts.

All Deny Charges

All four deny there was anything wrong, or that May kept any of the money the Garssons gave him. He claimed he was just trying to help war production and that he would clear himself when he got before a jury.

His jury was chosen in a little over two hours yesterday, with Justice Henry A Schweinhaut more than once calling on the defense battery of noted lawyers to speed up. As the trial moved on, it was plain that the defense counsel—one of them a member of a well-known Washington Negro firm—were aiming at a box filled with people who did not work for the Government, with as many Negroes as possible. Toward this end the defense used up all of its 10 challenges and four extra ones allowed by Justice Schweinhaut.

Defense lawyers used 10 of their 14 challenges on Government workers and four on private persons. Of the 35 citizens who went t othe box, 20—of the 56 per cent—worked for the Government. When the defense was through there were 12 jurors and two alternates seated, and only five of them—36 per cent—were Government workers.

Only three of the 14 persons challenged by defense counsel were Negroes; 11 were not. Four of the 14 who will try the case are Negroes, about the regular average of juries here.

Two Negroes were challenged by Special Prosecutor William A. Paisley, on the ground they knew Attorney Perry W. Howard, of the defense staff. Paisley challenged one other talesman, who had discussed the case.

In all, the prosecutors used only three of their six challenges.

Two jurors were excused by the justice. One was Henry J. Tucker, 40, a District Engineering Department mechanic. He said he made extra money umpiring ball games and to sit in a long trial would be a hardship. "I'll excuse you as a contribution to the National pastime," Justice Schweinhaut told him.

North Royalton, Vt. (U.P.).—Mrs. Howard Benson, her newborn baby and her 10 other children all had the measles simultaneously.

Eight Killed as Palestine Train Is Mined

Jerusalem, April 22 (AP).—British troops threw a security cordon tonight around a wide area in the vicinity of the wreckage of the Egypt Express, in which eight persons were killed by an explosion attributed to the Jewish underground.

Military officials said the train was mined in reprisal for the execution and suicide of six members of the underground. The incident, in which 150 persons were injured, came only a few hours after two underground members had cheated the gallows in Jerusalem prison by holding to their breasts small explosive charges contained in hollow oranges.

The train was 20 miles southeast of Tel Aviv when it was blasted by a single mine.

Five cars were crumpled. A number of persons were pinned in the wreckage for two hours.

Approximately 250 troops were aboard the train.

The dead were five British soldiers and three civilians—a 3-year-old Turkish boy, an official of the Palestine Railways and a dining car attendant.

Authorities attributed the attack to Irgun Zvai Leumi, Jewish underground organization.

The two underground members who cheated the gallows, Meyer Feinstein and Moshe Barazani, were buried in a Jewish cemetery on the slopes of the Mount of Olives.

Authorities said a dawn-to-dusk curfew would be enforced "until further notice" in the Jewish areas of Jerusalem.

Trooops were reinforced at the port city of Haifa, where the refugee ship Shair Yishuv (Remnants of Jewry), carrying approximately 800 uncertified immigrants, was heading under escort of British naval vessels.

Mackenzie King Here For Two-Day Visit

Prime Minister William Mackenzie King arrived yesterday for a two-day visit. He is en route to Ottawa from a vacation at Williamsburg, Va.

The Canadian leader probably will confer with President Truman on Wednesday, Government officials told reporters. They added the call will be primarily social.

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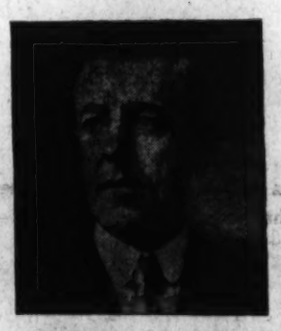
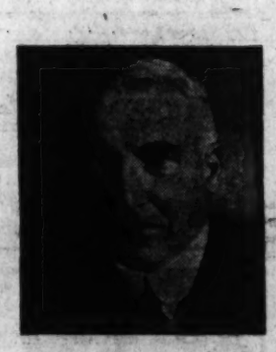


"I have before this expressed my personal approval of the declaration of the British Government regarding the aspirations and historic claims of the Jewish people in regard to Palestine. I am, moreover, persuaded that the Allied nations, with the fullest concurrence of our own Government and people, are agreed that in Palestine shall be laid the foundations of a Jewish Commonwealth."

—President Woodrow Wilson



"It is impossible for one who has studied at all the services of the Hebrew people to avoid the faith that they will one day be restored to their historic national home and there enter on a new and yet greater phase of their contribution to the advance of humanity."

—President Warren G. Harding

"I...express again my sympathy with the deep and intense longing which finds such fine expression in the Jewish National Homeland in Palestine. The proposed plan furnishes to the Jewish people an opportunity to devote their great qualities to the upbuilding and preservation of their own homeland and in their own sphere, and I feel sure that the people of the United States will not fail to give that earnest and substantial aid which will be necessary if it is to meet with a full measure of success."

—President Calvin Coolidge

"I...add my expression to the sentiment among our people in favor of the realization of the age-old aspirations of the Jewish people for the restoration of their national homeland."

—President Herbert Hoover

"I know how long and ardently the Jewish people have worked and prayed for the establishment of Palestine as a free and democratic Jewish commonwealth. I am convinced that the American people give their support to this aim and if re-elected I shall help to bring about its realization."

—President Franklin D. Roosevelt

"The Government and people of the United States have given support to the concept of a Jewish national home in Palestine ever since the termination of the first World War, which resulted in the freeing of a large area of the Near East, including Palestine, and the establishment of a number of independent states which are now members of the United Nations. The United States, which contributed its blood and resources to the winning of that war, could not divest itself of a certain responsibility for the manner in which the freed territories were disposed of, or for the fate of the peoples liberated at that time. It took the position, to which it still adheres, that these peoples should be prepared for self-government and also that a national home for the Jewish people should be established in Palestine. I am happy to note that most of the liberated peoples are now citizens of independent countries. The Jewish national home, however, has not as yet been fully developed.

"It is only natural, therefore, that this Government should favor at this time the entry into Palestine of considerable numbers of displaced Jews in Europe, not only that they may find shelter there but also that they may contribute their talents and energies to the upbuilding of the Jewish national home."

—President Harry S. Truman

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Hatch Act 'Worse Than None,' GOP National Committee Told

Kansas City, April 22 (AP).—An attack on the Hatch Act gave Republicans a 1948 campaign cry today as the Republican National Committee wound up a two-day session after picking Philadelphia for next year's nominating convention.

James S. Kemper of Chicago, treasurer of the committee, used a routine financial report as the springboard for his Hatch Act criticism.

"Certainly the present act is worse than none at all," he said in a call for amendment or repeal. The facts are that since its enactment more money than ever has been contributed, presumably for national campaigns. I might add that too much of this money has been wasted or worse."

The statement followed estimates the presidential campaign next year might cost the Republicans up to four million dollars or more.

Session Called Optimistic

B. Carroll Reece, national chairman, emerged from the final closed session of the committee to call it "harmonious and optimistic." Reece voted for Chicago as the 1947 convention site but the committee rejected that city almost three to one, after an intensive campaign by Philadelphia backers yesterday. Reece reiterated today that he saw no political significance in the choice.

"I don't think presidential implications were any part of the consideration," he told a news conference.

Reece announced he would delay selection of convention committees on rules, contests and arrangements. He said he wanted to consult with Republican leaders from various sectoins of the country, including States with Presidential aspirants. The committees will be appointed within "a matter of weeks," he said.

Reece Congratulated

Before the committee adjourned to meet again at the call of the chairman, G. Mason Owlett, Pennsylvania National Committeeman, offered a resolution extending to Reece the committee's "heartiest congratulations upon the excellent job he has done in giving guidance and leadership" to the party's affairs.

It was adopted unanimously with a rising vote. Reece responded that his only purpose was to guide the party to victory next year, then return to private life. The former Tennessee Congressman said he did not plan to seek any office.

At a final luncheon former Governor Alf M. Landon, of Kansas, the 1936 Republican presidential nominee, urged that lower tariff rates and taxatoin of excess profits be used as weapons to halt inflation and bring labor and management together.

He criticized what he called the "follow the leader" attitude in business and the "monopoly aspect of the labor situation." He hit at what he described as "New Deal crackpot schemes of managed currency and permanent deficit finances."

56 Young Americans Learn About Sweden

Washington (U.P.).—Fifty-six young Americans, mostly veterans, are spending a year in Sweden touring the country and studying at the University of Stockholm.

Picked from more than 100 applicants, the students are living in private homes in a double-barreled effort to learn the Swedish language. They are studying the language at the university until midyear.

Other studies include outlines of Swedish social, economic and political conditions, and Scandinavian history and culture.

During the two-month summer vacation, the Americans will visit cultural centers where Swedish folk high schools will be in session. Sightseeing, however, will take up most of the vacation period.

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Effective April 27th trains for Richmond and ACL leave 6:00 p. m. instead of 6:40 p. m.; 7:00 p. m. instead of 7:20 p. m., 7:30 p. m. instead of 7:40 p. m.; 7:50 p. m. instead 6:45 p. m. For Richmond and SAL leave 6:10 p. m. instead of 7:00 p. m. Local for Richmond leaves 3:40 p. m. instead of 3:10 p. m.

Talking Politics in Kansas City . . .

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

WASHINGTONIANS ATTEND GOP MEETING—Most any GOP subject could be under discussion here. It was at the meeting of the Republican National Committee in Kansas City, Mo., Monday night. Chatting are (from left) Mrs. Chris Carlson of Blue Earth, Minn.; Mrs. William Culbertson of Washington, acting National Committeewoman from the District of Columbia; and E. F. Colladay, also of Washington National Committeeman for 30 years

TRIAL

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Judge Waring told the jury its most important task was to determine the knowledge and intent of the defendants at the times of the alleged misapplications.

Responsibility Defined

The court instructed the jury that it first must inquire as to whether there was a misapplication by William Reeves Gardner of the funds of the bank.

"If you determine that Gardner did not misapply, then of course, the case ends," Judge Waring said, reminding the jury that Gardner is not on trial because of ill health.

Judge Waring took full responsibility for granting Gardner a severance and proceeding with the trial against the nine persons charged with aiding and abetting.

"If you decide there was a misapplication by Gardner, your next task is to determine if the defendants aided in it," the jurist said.

Judge Waring reminded the jurors that the burden of proof always rested on the Government, and told the jury the Government's evidence was circumstantial in nature.

Gardner, former vice president of the Fredericksburg bank, is serving a State penitentiary term for embezzlement, to which he pleaded guilty in State courts.

Eight Weeks of Trial

Speculation as to the length of time the jury would be out ranged from several hours to as much as a day or better. The long and complicated trial has dragged out into its eighth week and court records show over a million and a quarter words of testimony. Thus, it seemed that a decision could not be expected in short order.

The nine defendants are accused by the Government of participation in a multi-million-dollar check-kiting scheme to finance dairying operations of Hugh N. Rakes of Leesburg.

Defendants are Rakes and his wife, Lillian Conner Rakes; Harry Lamson, Washington loan broker; Joseph A. Sowers, cashier of the Floyd County Bank; Joseph E. Proffit, president of the Floyd Bank and member of the Virginia House of Delegates; Kyle M. Weeks, law partner of Proffit; D. E. Nelson, Roanoke realtor; Clarence L. Robey, president of the Purcellville National Bank, and Paul Karsten, jr., former vice president of the Fredericksburg Bank.

Chart Tells Gas Man Which Dogs Bite

Louisville, Ky.—Louisville Gas and Electric Co. meter readers aren't taking any chances with the dog-bites-man routine.

They have taken great pains to keep up-to-date records on the type of dogs, and their viciousness, if any, at the 45,000 homes which they visit.

The gas and electric consumption sheet not only carries a memo on the amount of each used, but also a detailed discussion of the dog owned by the customer.

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Meter readers say the chart method has worked well, for in 1946 only 13 bites were reported.

The 175 million pounds of chicken feathers that now are wasted annually may be utilized in a new fiber product called keratin.

House Cites 2 Communists For Contempt

By Mary Spargo
Post Reporter

The House voted overwhelmingly yesterday to cite two leading Communists for contempt of Congress, while a third international Comto similar charges in Federal Dismunist leader pleaded not guilty trict Court here.

Leon Josephson of New York, described as the key figure in a Communist false passport ring, and Eugene Dennis, general secretary of the Communist Party, were cited for their refusal to testify before the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

Meanwhile Gerhart Eisler, German alien, whom FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover called the boss Communist in the United States, appeared before Chief Justice Bolitha J. Laws of District Court.

Eisler, who was released by Immigration authorities Tuesday, entered a simple not guilty plea to the contempt charge. He will also answer in court to charges of perjury in connection with passport falsification.

Justice Dept. Criticized

In testimony before the House commtitee Josephson was named as having been a participant in fraudulent passport transactions involving Eisler.

Sharp criticism of Attorney General Tom Clark and the Justice Department echoed on the House floor as critics denounced what they called the dilatory attitude of the Justice Department toward law violations by Communists.

Representative Karl Mundt (R., S. Dak.) told the House that Dennis, in addition to being in contempt of Congress, had violated Selective Service regulations and engaged in fake passport regulations.

"It is high time that the immunity Communists enjoy from laws which govern everyone else, brought to a halt," Mundt said.

Josephson Cited Twice

Josephson was cited twice—once for contempt before a subcommittee in New York, and once for contempt of the committee here.

On the first citation a roll-call vote showed 357 to 2, Representative Vito Marcantonio (AL) and Adam Clayton Powell (D.), both of New York, dissenting.

The second citation of Josephson was on a voice vote. A standing vote on the citation of Dennis found 196 members voting yes, and 1, Marcantonio, voting no.

Eisler Makes Bond

Eisler, connected in committee testimony with the Canadian spy case, was rteleased under a $20,000 cash bond for his appearance on contempt charge May 26. His trial on perjury charges is scheduled for June 16.

After his arraignment, Eisler, with hi stwo attorneys, Carol King and David Rain, distributed statements about "the yellow press" and the "witch hunts" of the Justice Department.

Assistant United States Attorney William Hitz said the contempt case will take more than a day to try, and the perjury charges more than a week.

Sicily Turns Left in Election

Palermo, Sicily, April 22 (U.P.).—The extreme left bloc—Communists, Socialists, Actionists—won 32 per cent of the votes, a slender but conclusive victory, in Sicily's first parliamentary election since 1850, almost complete returns showed today.

Premier Alcide de Gasperi's Christian Democrats ran second with 21 per cent, a stunning reversal of last July's results.

Monarchists, who last July polled 65 per cent of the vote, won only 16 per cent in the balloting for a regional Parliament here Sunday and Monday. Andrea Finnocchiaro Aprile's Separatist Party went down to overwhelming defeat.

Politicians in Rome believed the balloting would serve as a barometer for forthcoming general elections.

Observers pointed out, however, that the peoples' bloc was not expected to control a working majority in the regional parliament. Nor was any single group or bloc.

Italian Veterans Storm Assembly

Rome, April 22 (U.P.).—An angry mob of 4000 war veterans fought through a cordon of baton-swinging police today and sought for the second time in a week to storm the barred doors of Montecitorio Palace where the Constituent Assembly was in session.

Two policemen were injured, one seriously, in the 90-minute demonstration. It was the third in five days protesting against unemployment, inadequate government subsidies and the rising cost of living.

Bean Soup Okay But Senators Demand Variety

By The Associated Press

Senators decided yesterday that Senators can't live on bean soup alone, and started casting about for someone to improve the menu in their restaurants.

Chairman Bridges (R., N. H.) said the Appropriations Committee invited the Rules Committee to find out if some nice restaurant chain wouldn't like to set up shop in the Capitol.

"Everybody is crabbing about the food and service," Bridges said. "We decided to see if we couldn't get some experts to take over."

No, he told a reporter, there haven't been any complaints about the bean soup. That's a Senate restaurant specialty. But as for the other food—the Senator shrugged gloomily.

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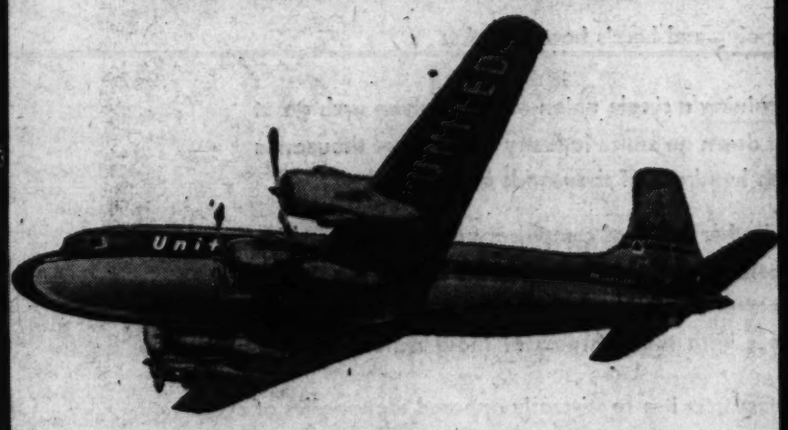

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Cattle and Hogs Get More Aid Than Pupils, Says Editor

By The Associated Press

George J. Hecht, publisher of Parents' Magazine, said yesterday that "if children were cattle they would be getting a much squarer deal from Uncle Sam."

Urging enactment of legislation to provide 150 million dollars in Federal aid to State school systems over the next three years, Hecht told a Senate Public Welfare Subcommittee:

"The Federal Government appropriates many times as much money for the welfare of cattle, hogs and other farm animals as it does for the education of children."

State Disparity Cited

He said Federal appropriations to the Office of Education in 1946 were 1/14 of one per cent as large as those for the Department of Agriculture.

Hecht said only Federal grants to the States will eliminate the disparity which now exists in school systems. This is so great, he said, that some States spend $6000 a year for each classroom while others spend less than $100.

The Rev. Thomas B. Keehn, representing the Congregational-Christian churches, objected to a provision which permits expenditure of funds for non-public tax-exempt schools in States which traditionally give some aid to such institutions.

Larger Grant Urged

Mrs. Gertrude Folks Zimand, secretary of the National Child Labor Committee, urged an even appropriation for Federal aid.

She said approximately three million children of school age are not now attending classes. One key reason, she contended, is that "schools in many communities are of so low a caliber and are so limited in their curriculum that they neither hold the interest of children nor convince parents that their children should be in school."

Meanwhile, Representative Marion Bennett (R., Mo.) said Congress may decline to provide funds to increase teachers' salaries as long as many States have surpluses in their treasuries.

Answers Teachers' Letter

In a letter to Missouri school teachers he said that teachers' salaries are "notoriously low and should be raised."

"It is not likely the Federal Government, however, will provide any funds for this purpose," he continued, "as long as many State governments have huge surpluses in their treasuries."

There has been a traditional opinion in this country, he wrote, that such matters are the responsibilities of State and local governments.

But, he added, there is "much merit" in the proposals for Federal aid to increase teachers' salaries.

The letter was in reply to 82 teachers in Springfield, Mo., who wrote Bennett on behalf of Federal aid to education.

Cuba Political Tension High After Shooting

Havana, Cuba, April 22 (U.P.).—Political tension, which has grown through weeks of sporadic shootings and open clashes between government supporters and Communists, was at a new high today as a result of last night's machine-gun volley against the national capitol while the Senate was meeting there.

Ending its session at 2 o'clock this morning, the Senate adopted a resolution strongly condemning the "aggression."

At a late hour today no arrests had been announced although the police broadcast the registration number of one of the three cars from which unknown assailants fled after spattering the 20-million dollar capitol with some 300 rounds of submachine gun and pistol bullets.

During debate following the shooting, Senator Eduardo Chibas, once government spokesman and now leader of the "orthodox authentic revolutionaries" who have turned against President Ramon Grau San Martin, directly charged Interior Minister Alfredo Pequeno and Education Minister Jose Aleman with having instigated the attack.

Chef element of the recent political tension had been President Grau's break with the Communists, who helped to elect him in June, 1944. He ousted two Communists from his cabinet and is trying to remove others from key posts.

Considine Wins INS Award For Stories on Bikini Bomb

New York, April 22 (INS).—Bob Considine, internationally known columnist, author and correspondent, today was named winner of the George R. Holmes Memorial Award, given each year to an International News Service reporter for outstanding achievement.

The honor was conferred upon Considine at a luncheon meeting of the Banshees, attended by hundreds of editors and publishers present for the annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers Association here. Barry Faris, editor in chief of the INS, made the presentation.

Considine was chosen for his coverage of the atomic bomb tests at Bikini.

One of the judges wrote of Considine's work:

"In competition among the best reporting talent of the other press services, his stories were far and away, in our opinion, the best. For drama, lucidity and keeping on top of fast moving developments, his report of the Bikini test itself was simply great. From the earliest edition there was no question in our mind which service we would use when Mr. Considine's stuff began coming in."

Holmes, was more than two decades chief of the INS bureau in Washington.

BOB CONSIDINE
Wins Memorial Medal

The judges were E. T. Stone, managing editor, the Seattle Post-Intelligencer; Arthur V. Burrowes, editor, the St. Joseph (Mo.) News-Press and Gazette; Robert L. M. Parks, editor, the Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle; Seymour Berkson, general manager of International News Service, and Barry Faris, editor-in-chief, chairman of the committee.

Exploded Ships' Oil Threatens Galveston Docks

Texas City, Tex., April 21 (AP).—Highly inflammable oil from explosion-torn Texas City seeped under Galveston's wharves today, posing a fire threat there as this city began to recover from a six-day nightmare.

The crude oil at Galveston, 11 miles away, apparently came from the tanks of the three ships destroyed here Wednesday and Thursday in violent explosions that sank them, destroyed the Monsanto Chemical Corp. plant and much of this industrial coastal city of 15,000, killing 575 persons.

At Galveston, the Coast Guard hearing heard another witness say that "No smoking" signs were disregarded aboard the SS High Flyer, the second freighter to explode. Earlier another had said smoking was general on the Grandcamp, the French ship, that first exploded and set off the chain of disaster.

Five more bodies were recovered from the rubble of the razed industrial area today, bringing the toll of known dead to 426.

Truman Names 2 D. C. Men for Foreign Service

President Truman sent to the Senate yesterday the nominations of two District men as Class 6 Foreign Service Officers.

The nominees, Wells Stabler, 2500 Q st. nw., and Arthur B. Allen, 2717 29th st. se., will thus take the first step in the career service of the State Department if they are confirmed. In their classification, they may be appointed vice consul in the consular service or third secretary in the diplomatic service, or both.

Stabler, 28, a native of Boston, has been a noncareer vice consul in Jerusalem since October, 1944.

The son of a late State Department official, J. Herbert Stabler, he attended school in Chile, was graduated from Harvard in 1941, and was an Army officer.

Allen, 26, was born in Grantsville, W. Va. After graduating from Harvard in 1941, he worked for the Naval Ordnance Laboratory here. He was commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve in 1944, and received the Navy Meritorious Civilian Service Award.

Owners to Get Miners Back Despite Strike Risk, Krug Says

By the United Press

Secretary of the Interior J. A. Krug told Congress yesterday that the government-controlled soft coal mines will be reutrned to private operation June 30 even if it means another strike.

"We are not going to ask for extension of authority to operate the mines," he said.

Testifying before a House Labor subcommittee, Krug served notice on operators and President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers (AFL) that the government will go through with its plans even if they fail to reach agreement on a new contract in government-sponsored negotiations.

"This is the time to reestablish collective bargaining in the soft coal industry if we are ever going to reestablish it," he said.

"Even if the miners and operators do not return to collective bargaining, we should turn back the mines."

Lewis and a number of private operators have accepted a government invitation to start work on a new soft coal agreement at conferences here beginning April 29. But chances of reaching an accord in the next two months are none too bright—and the miners traditionally refuse to work without a contract.

Lewis has warned that he will not sign a private contract that fails to continue on a bigger scale the health and welfare fund provided in the Government agreement. The operators, especially the southern group, have denounced the provision as "economic blackmail."

Krug, who took a verbal lambasting from Lewis before the same committee two weeks ago, said that any "war" between himself and the UMW chief was entirely one-sided and exists only in the mind of Lewis.

"I am not at war with Mr. Lewis or anyone else," he said. "The operation and welfare of the coal mining industry is far too important to interpose individuals with their likes and dislikes."

Krug appeared primarily to discuss mine safety regulations and Lewis' charge that he, as Federal operator of the mines, had been personally responsible for the Centralia (Ill.) mine disaster through his failure to enforce Federal safety codes.

He recommended that the Bureau of Mines be empowered to enforce its safety regulations. Once the Government relinquishes the mines, he said, it no longer will have any authority to shut down those it considers hazardous.

Describing mine safety as a "long-range project," he said the first responsibility rests with management. Second responsibility belongs to the miners and the third to the agency, State or Federal, with the responsibility for inspecting the mines.

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Reactionaries Cause Distrust, Says Wallace

New York, April 22 (U.P.).—Henry A. Wallace in a cabled report from England today assailed as "utterly ridiculous" any suggestion that he was arousing the British against America and asserted that the real cause of British distrust was talk by reactionary Americans about the "inevitability of war."

The former Vice President and Cabinet member, who has been sharply criticized for attacking United States foreign policy abroad, said the overseas audiences he has addressed were "concerned" about American trends and "longing for a new emergence of a liberal spirit in the United States.

[Wallace arrived in Paris today from Copenhagen, Denmark, where a scheduled speech was canceled because of the death of King Christian X. He will speak tomorrow before a meeting of French government officials and parliamentarians.]

Written for New Republic

Wallace's report, written for the New Republic, of which he is editor, said his experiences in England have confirmed his belief that "today's greatest danger" is a mistaken American assumption that that other nations would blindly follow American foreign policy which bypasses the United Nations.

"If we are to have 'two worlds,' America must understand," he said, "that the economic resources to keep Europe in a divided world are utterly beyond Europe's own power to provide. Unless there is help, it means revolutionary changes everywhere."

Wallace said that without effective use of United Nations economic agencies, neither Britain nor any European nation can keep going "without far more effective American aid than is now in sight."

Calls for 'World Citizenship'

He said that British economists believe that their government made a serious blunder in accepting the American loan without assurance that the United States would promote expansion of the International Bank, the International Fund, and other economic agencies.

Wallace said: "Our greatest danger is that a new American empire may be conceived in a spirit of indifference and fear," he said. "I feel it is now plain that an awareness of the crisis is reaching the consciousness of the American people. I have no fear of the outcome."

Wallace asserted that world citizenship is "the great objective of our lives."

Attacked in House of Lords

"What is the meaning of world citizenship if not the right of the individual to treat all people with equal respect with regard to the freedom to be informed on the basic issues of peace and war?" he asked.

[In London, Wallace was attacked twice in the House of Lords today. Lord Vansittart, former British foreign undersecretary, charged that "the woolly" Wallace had been brought to Britain by the Labor Party's leftist rebels at a time when he was most likely to embarrass Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin in Moscow.

"Mr. Wallace devoted a great deal of attention to slamming President Truman's policy in Greece but he never once mentioned that the Kremlin had been doing 100 times more throughout the eastern bloc in the past two years," Vansittart said.

[Later Lord Barnby demanded to know why the government-operated British radio allocated time to Wallace "when he is known to be at variance with the fundamental policies of his former colleagues" (in the U. S. Cabinet.)

[Viscount Swinton, recalling that Wallace had lectured the United States and Britain on how to deal with communism, said, "Mr. Wallace appears to me about as well equipped to deal with communism as would be a rabbit with a boa constrictor."]

Night Club Dancer Out on Ledge

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
MURIEL CARR,

24, San Francisco night club dancer, paced back and forth along a sixth-story ledge of a hotel while hundreds watched from the street below. Police who removed her said she told them she was "bewildered" after an argument with her husband.

Ministers Approve U. N. Loan Of Five Millions for Trieste

Moscow, April 22.—The Foreign Ministers took timely and unanimous action today to prevent economic collapse this year in the new Free Territory of Trieste by approving a grant of five million dollars "assistance" from United Nations to help the international state during its first few months of life. They acted with more harmony than they have shown over the far bigger emergencies of Austria and Germany.

If they had left Moscow without facing it, the new territory and its people hight have suffered real misery and have been strangled at birth. The Big Four had created the Trieste state during tedious negotiations all last year, now they realized they had to help it to its feet.

Russia played an honorable part in reaching today's agreements, probably on advice of Yugoslavia's Vice Premier Edward Kardelj and Foreign Minister Stanoje Simich, who are here in Moscow.

Russian Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov started the good work by proposing that Italian and Yugoslav goods be allowed to enter Trieste freely until a new customs regime is established.

United States Secretary of State George Marshall then proposed that this be conditional upon reciprocal entry of Trieste goods free of duty into Italy and Yugoslavia. Both of these "recommendations" were agreed on.

On the subject of the United Nations loan, Molotov climbed down from position he had held all through last year. Only the other day he had argued that the United Nations loan would be a form of "external interference" in Trieste affairs.

Today, however, he agreed with the others that the new territory simply could not survive in its earliest months without outside help. The ministers expressed the unanimous opinion therefore that:

"If the Security council gets from the governor and provisional government council a request, based on the pressing needs of the first period, for financial assistance from without, the Security Council shall recommend to put at the disposal of the Free Territory of Trieste the necessary sum up to five million dollars, which sum will taken from the resources of the United Nations."

The ministers will ask Secretary General Trygve Lie to transmit their views together with a report of their Trieste experts to the new governor of Trieste as soon as he has been appointed.

Trade Treaty Initialed

Belgrade, April 22 (AP).—An agreement on trade and economic cooperation bewteen Italy and Yugoslavia was initialed today by delegates of the two countries who had been negotiating for more than two weeks.

No. 1 Nudist Sees Everybody Going Raw in 10 Years

Chicago, April 21 (U.P.).—Nudism has a rosy future, the Nation's No. 1 nudist said today.

Within 10 years, hardly anybody will hesitate to shed his clothes—along with his modesty—during his leisure time, he said.

Alois Knapp, president of the American Sunbathing Association, said the number of nudists has doubled in less than a year. More than two million men, women and children now run around in their skin every chance they get, he said.

"If people continue undressing at the present rate, wearing clothes during leisure hours eventually will be as old-fashioned as grandpa's flannel night shirt," he said.

Senate Approves Suspension of Tarif on Copper

By The Associated Press

The Senate yesterday approved a two-year suspension of the 4-cent-per-pound tariff on copper in a move to build up this Nation's depleted stockpile of the metal.

The bill goes back to the House for consideration of a Senate amendment which would leave the duty in effect on copper sulfate. Senator Millikin (R., Colo.) said there is no shortage of that material.

Passage came on a voice vote after Senator McFarland (D., Ariz.) expressed fear that a two-year suspension might be dangerously long. He declared that America won the war with copper from its own mines, and should not take a chance of forcing those mines to shut down.

State Dept. Stands Pat on Red Shipments

Undersecretary of State Dean Acheson said yesterday the department is standing by its view that nearly 17 million dollars in American postwar lend-lease supplies to Russia should be delivered as promised.

A reporter asked Acheson at a news conference if the State Department had changed its opinion since Senator Vandenberg (R., Mich.) suggested that these shipments should be held up until the Soviets settle their 11 billion dollars lend-lease account.

Acheson replied that the subject has not been discussed within the department since he stated the department's decision to go through with the deliveries. Last week he called upon Congress to life the ban on the Soviet shipments along with about 8 million dollars in other supplies scheduled for delivery to 10 other countries.

Acheson also told reporters:

1. Russia was offered a 10 per cent discount on its postwar lend-lease supplies only after the United States had determined it would cost considerably more to cancel the orders and keep goods ready for delivery. He explained that these supplies were built for Russian specifications and many could be used by the United States. Russia was billed for 250 million dollars to pay for these goods over a 30-year period. Only 17 million dollars worth remains to be shipped.

2. The State Department has approved the return of 25 million dollars worth of silver to the Hungarian government. Press dispatches from Frankfurt said the ingots and art objects, looted by the Nazis from Hungary, are en route by special train from the American zone to Budapest.

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Mary Haworth's Mail

Man's Mother-in-Law, Consulting Spirits, Warns His Wife Against Child Bearing, But His Wishes Finally Win and Home Is Bedlam

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: After two years' marriage, my wife and I decided to start a family. That's when our trouble began. Her mother, a spiritualist, lives with us, and she warned my wife that the spirits said something terrible would happen if she had a child.

My wife doesn't believe in spirits, so she says; but for the next 13 years she believed her mother. Finally I told her if she wouldn't bear a child for me, I knew someone who would. This was just an empty threat, but it worked.

Now, after 14 years' marriage, we have a beautiful boy, five months old. It was a normal birth, though my wife is 38, and her mother says she averted the "something terrible" by prayer and sacrifice during pregnancy—and my wife believes her.

House Divided By Mother Rule

WE OWN a nice home, I make a good salary, we have all the comforts of life and a few of the luxuries and I want a family—at least two children. But the mother says if we have another child, it really will be a tragedy. Yet my wife is a perfectly healthy woman and I am a "fine specimen of a man," our doctor says.

Now that we have one child, our home is a mess. Nursing bottles on the piano, diapers on the sofa ironed clothes on one chair, soiled clothes on another; baby oil, powder, towels and blankets piled on the dining room table; the bassinet in one corner, the carriage in another and the bathinette in a third.

We furnished an upstairs room as a nursery; but guess who sleeps there? I do. My wife takes the baby to bed with her every night. I have protested this arrangement; I say she is spoiling the baby. But she looks at me so pitifully and says that her mother, who reared two children and ought to know, tells her she should do so-and-so.

Is Chivalry Weak Trait?

WHEN THE BABY is asleep, my wife and her mother sit tense and listening. When he starts to wake, they both make a dive to pick him up. And sometimes when he is asleep the grandmother takes him up to change his diaper—because, according to her, boy babies are different from girls. You must keep them dry and not let them cry or they will rupture themselves.

When I tried to discuss these things with our doctor he lifted an eyebrow and said, "Jealous?" When my wife's sister had a baby recently, the mother went to stay with her for a month—to help with the baby, she told us. But the sister sent her back after a week. She said the mother was driving her crazy and spoiling the baby. This old woman has no place to live except with us, and her only income is a monthly allowance from me.

I am Southern born and courtesy to women is bred in my bones, I'm afraid. Is this weakness, really? I do love my wife and baby and want to do what is best for them; but the situation is beyond me. If you've had the patience to read this far, what is your advice?

B. F.

Mother-in-Law Crazes Couple

DEAR B. F.: You admit that you bullied your wife into motherhood, an approach that inevitably would incite terrific unconscious resentment of ensuing duties and penalties. In addition, she is obliged to cope nowadays with a double dose of maternal interference that leaves her no privacy, day or night, in any domain of her personal life.

The old woman—as you call her—stopped just short of physically muscling into the conjugal bedchamber in her passion to dictate every nuance of the married relationship. But as regards the baby she has cast off all restraint.

As a result your wife has no proper opportunity whatsoever to get snatches of really relaxed rest, hence is wracked by unrelieved mounting fatigue, just at a time when physical and emotional drains on her energies are unprecedentedly heavy, around the clock. Thus the chaotic disorder in your home since the baby came out, pictures her almost frenzied state of mind.

The mother's busyness isn't altogether motivated by a desire to be helpful. She has seized on the baby as her weapon to make a shell of the marriage. Her operations are intended to unify the women of the household against the alleged brute enemy, man—and thus put a stop to mate love that might propagate again.

Wife's Sister Knows Answer

SHE IS TRYING to overwhelm your wife with a conviction of the insupportable weight of motherhood's duties and penalties, via her "Mom" lectures and demonstrations. Her covert idea is to shatter daughter into distrait dependent clinging upon Mom, who—her attitude implies—has been through the wars and told-her-so but is willing to overlook wifely folly and help lift this terrible burden brought on by a selfish man, to-wit, you.

In her heart and perhaps also consciously the mother relishes the effects upon you of the squalid confusion which hangs like a pall over the household. This ought to teach you a lesson, she thinks; this is sweet revenge for your winning the debate about reproduction. This kind of pay-off ought to put a quietus on your urge to beget, she figures. And if you are stymied by this Mom-guided drift, your wife is almost crazed by it.

For advice: Your wife's sister has the answer. You should banish the mother from your home. Stint yourselves and call on the others to give her sufficient income for basic maintenance and shove her off to a boarding house or tiny apartment. Southern-born chivalry fiddlesticks. What you need is moral courage to protect your wife and baby against lethal assault on personality; and what your mother-in-law needs is real spiritual help in place of this diabolic mischief she's dabbling with.

M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post.

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By Anne Adams

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Bradford—Burton

Making plans for her wedding on June 7 in Calvary Methodist Church is Miss Virginia Eileen Bradford, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Walter Bradford, Washington, have announced her engagement to Charles W. Burton, Baltimore, Md.

Miss Bradford is a junior at the University of Maryland and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Mr. Burton has resumed his studies at the University of Maryland following service with the Army Air Force in the Pacific during which he was awarded the Air Medal. He is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Spence—Hill

Planning an early September wedding are Miss Elizabeth Turner Spence and Millard Fillmore Hill, whose engagement is announced by the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Spence, Washington.

Miss Spence, a graduate of Montgomery Blair High School, Silver Spring, Md., is with national headquarters, Disabled American Veterans. Mr. Hill of Amherstdale, W. Va., served 20 months with the Navy in the Pacific, and is now studying at the University of West Virginia.

Ask Anne

Your Questions On Homemaking

A few weeks ago some salad oil was spilled on the front seat of our car. I've tried carbon tetrachloride with no success. Is there anything else I can do?
L. R. S.

The stain may yield to a special rug and upholstery cleaner or thick soap suds and water. Or, try an absorbent, such as Fuller's earth, chalk, cornmeal, dry starch or dry cleaning powder. Spread the absorbent thickly on the stain, place several thicknesses of paper toweling over the powder and press with a warm iron for several minutes. Then brush thoroughly. Repeat if necessary.

How can I remove prune stain from a colored cotton tablecloth? J. B. B.

Stretch the stained fabric over a bowl and secure with rubber bands or string. Pour boiling water through the stain, holding the teakettle spout 2 or 3 feet above the stain.

A bottle of milk, with cream on top, was spilled on a broadloom runner. It was not properly washed when the accident occurred and since then I have not been able to remove large greasy spots. M. J. M.

Sponge the stain with carbon tetrachloride or use a commercial soapless lather. The absorbent treatment described above also will help.

I bought a white plastic bag last year. It was packed against a dark plastic one during the winter and now has blue marks. What shall I do to get them off?
C. W.

Soap and water and a little lemon juice are safe to use on plastic. The spots may not come out, but try soap and water before you give up.

Will you please tell me how I can stop angora gloves from shedding? Washing didn't help. I would also like to know suitable gifts for a bride to give the bridegroom and also gifts for her attendants. J. M. C.

Unfortunately, you can't stop angora gloves from shedding.

The bride may give her bridegroom cuff links, wallet, pen and pencil set, gold or silver pencil, monogrammed bill clip, watch, cigarette case or lighter, key chain with initialed tag, tie clip with matching collar pin, or gifts of leather.

Brides often give their attendants gifts that can be worn at the wedding, such as bracelets, necklaces, gold or silver clips, or lace handkerchiefs. Other suggestions are compact, jeweled combs, evening bag, fitted traveling bag, pen and pencil set, jewel case. Sometimes the bride gives each attendant a photograph of the wedding party in a suitable frame.

Anne answers questions on homemaking through her column only. Address Ask Anne, Room 403, The Washington Post, Washington 4, D. C.

Father Magner to Speak At Symphony Luncheon

The Rev. James A. Magner, procurator-assistant treasurer of the Catholic University of America, has been added to the list of speakers who will attend the luncheon at 12:30 today of the National Symphony Orchestra's Wednesday Ticket Committee. The luncheon will be held in the ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel.

Mrs. Carl A. Spaatz and Howard Mitchell, associate conductor of the orchestra, will be the other speakers. Mrs. Merritt K. Ruddock, chairman of the Wednesday Ticket Committee, will preside.

Father Magner is a well known lecturer and writer, who was an organist in college and while in the seminary organized and conducted an orchestra and a choir. He will talk on the place of good music in education.

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Mrs. Izac Returns From Honolulu

Mrs. Edouard Victor Izac, wife of former Representative Izac of San Diego, Calif., has returned to Washington after a month's stay with Mr. Izac at the Moana Hotel in Honolulu. Although Mr. Izac is in business in Hawaii, Mrs. Izac will continue to keep a home here for her children until they finish school.

Four of the six children of Mr. and Mrs. Izac are in Washington. Miss Suzanne Izac is a junior at the Academy of the Holy Cross; Charles, a veteran of the war, is finishing his schooling at Central High School and the two younger boys, Forrest and Andre, are attending St. Thomas Apostle School.

Virginian Rwy. To Fight C.&O. Central Link

The Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday permitted the Virginian Railway Co. to oppose at ICC hearings a plan to set up interlocking directorships for the Chesapeake & Ohio and the New York Central Railroad companies.

The Virginian said it and the public it serves would be "adversely affected by any step which would tend to lessen competition" between C. & O. and the New York Central. ICC authorized the Virginian to present witnesses in three proceedings affecting these larger lines.

Involved are the petitions of Robert R. Young and Robert J. Bowman, board chairman and president, respectively, of C. & O., for authority to take places on the board of the New York Central. C. & O. has acquired substantial stock holdings in the latter.

The Virginian Railway, operating between Norfolk, Va., and Gilbert, W. Va., said it interchanges traffic with the C. & O. and the New York Central and hence has an interest in the competitive relationships in its service area.

At Richmond, Va., stockholders of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co. reelected the road's 14-member board of directors yesterday and heard a prediction from President Robert J. Bowman that the C. & O.'s financial interest in the New York Central would be of material benefit to the company.

With the C. & O. in a period of expanded tonnage, Bowman explained, it was of major importance that it have free and rapid access to the industrial East. He added that the Chesapeake originates 10 times the coal tonnage it delivers to its own station cities while the New York Central originates, perhaps, only a third of the tonnage it delivers.

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Southern's Net Rises

Southern Railway had first quarter net income of about $2,900,000, equal after allowing for preferred dividend requirements to $1.65 a common share on which the quarterly dividend is 75 cents, President Ernest E. Norris announced yesterday.

In the same quarter a year ago the road reported net income of $2,841,294, or $1.61 a common share.

Morris said March earnings totaled approximately one million dollars, compared with a net loss of $473,899 in March, 1946.

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C.I.T. Financing Leaps

Arthur Dietz, president of C.I.T. Financial Corp., disclosed at the annual meeting yesterday that the volume of wholesale and retail installment financing has increased substantially since January 1, due to increased production of automobiles and other durable goods.

Retail automobile financing by the company increased to $30,786,032 during the quarter, from $20,666,673 in the first three months last year.

A continued increase in volume of consumer-installment financing is to be expected, Dietz said, adding that a peak would not be reached until 1948.

Total volume of receivables purchased by the company in the first quarter was $570,148,453 as against $307,024,080 for the first quarter of 1946.

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Over-Counter History Traced

Local over-the-counter securities dealers will be interested in a new book, "The Securities Business Comes of Age." Written by Elizabeth Frazer, whose humanized business articles have been published by magazines, the book contrasts conditions in the over-the-counter market before National Association of Securities Dealers was created with those that prevail today.

It deals with personalities in finance and government who have made the experiment work; with NASD's home rule organization, its policies and disciplinary measures.

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Reliable Stores Net Drops

Reliable Stores Corp., which operates retail furniture outlets in Washington, reported first quarter net profits of $279,149, equal to 76 cents a share on common stock. This compared with $434,013, or $1.03 a share in the same 1946 period.

Consolidated net sales for the first three months this year totaled $3,771,948, against $3,784,878 in the same 1946 period.

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Earnings Statements

International Business Machines Corp. reported net profit for three months ended March 31 of $8,751,148, equal to $3.70 a share, compared with $6,886,910, or $2.84 a share for a similar quarter in 1946.

Anchor Hocking Glass Corp. reported net profit for 12 months ended March 31 of $4,728,003, equal to $6.22 a common share, compared with $3,049,741, or $3.87 a share for the previous year.

Cerro de Pasco Copper Corp. and wholly owned subsidiaries reported net income for 1946 of $1,666,428, equal to $1.48 a share, compared with $1,490,667, or $1.33 a share for 1945.

United Biscuit Co. America reported net profit for the quarter ended March 31 of $1,415,805, equal to $3.02 a common share, compared with $1,055,689, or $2.19 a share for the same quarter in 1946.

Park & Tilford, Inc., reported net earnings for the quarter ended March 31 of $744,889, equal to $2.95 a common share, as against $1,350,606, or $5.47 a share for the same quarter the previous year. The 1946 net included $680,959 in nonrecurring income.

Blaw-Knox Co. reported earnings for the quarter ended March 31 of $773,522, equal to 58 cents a share, as compared with $28,936, equal to 2 cents a share, for the first quarter of 1946.

Net earnings of the Texas Co. and subsidiaries for the first three months were estimated at $18,582,445, or $1.65 a share, by W. S. S. Rodgers, chairman, at the annual meeting today. This compared with $11,214,961, or $1 a share in the same period last year.

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total sales, $20,900 shares; previous day, 1,150,000; week ago, 1,448,500; year ago, 1,275,720; two years ago, 1,825,580; January 1 to date, 82,662,230; year ago, 126,005,082; two years ago, 120,787,287.

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20 rails	44.73	45.20	44.32	45.06	+0.55
15 utils.	34.19	34.32	33.96	34.21	+0.11
65 stks.	69.15	69.89	69.00	69.69	+0.53

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 540,000; rails, 46,420; utilities, 94,900; 65 stks., 172,320.

Sales					Net
Add 00	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
Acme Stl	2	46	44½	46	— ½
Adams Exp	3	14¾	14¼	14¾	— ⅛
Addressog Mail	1	31½	31½	31½	+ ½
Admiral Corp	3	8¼	8¼	8¼	— ⅛
Air Reduction	12	31¾	31¼	31¾	+ ⅝
Alaska Juneau	9	4¼	4⅛	4⅛	— ⅛
Aldens Inc	1	24	24	24	+ ⅛
Allegheny Corp	22	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Allegheny pf	4	33	32½	33	— ⅛
Allegheny prpf	60	12½	12	12½	+ ⅛
Allen Ludl $6	1	18½	18½	18½	+ ½
Allen Industries	1	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Al Chem & Dye	3	174	172½	174	+ 1½
Allied Kid	1	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞	— ⅛
Allied Mills	2	44	44	44	— ½
Allied Stra	11	23¾	23¾	23¾	+ ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	10	34¼	34	34¼	+ ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfgpf	6	98	98	98	— ½
Alpha P Cem	2	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜	— ⅛
Amal Leather	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Amerada Pet	2	74½	74	74	— ½
Am Ag Ch Del	3	38	38	38	— ½
Am Airlines	68	10⅝	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
Am Airlines pf	4	73½	73½	73½	+ ⅛
Am Brake Sh	2	40½	40½	40½	+ ⅛
Am Cable & R	8	5¼	5⅛	5⅛	— ⅛
Am Can	1	92½	91¾	92½	+ 1½
Am Car & Fdy	3	45¾	45¾	45¾	+ ⅛
Am Ch & Cable	3	22¾	22½	22½	— ⅛
Am Crystal Sug	2	21¼	21¼	21¼	— ⅛
Am Distill	1	20	20	20	+ ⅛
Am Export L	6	19	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Am & For Pow	12	12¾	12½	12¾	+ ⅛
A P&L $6 pf	5	115	114	115	+ 1
A P&L $5 pf	1	103	103	103	—
Am R & St S	37	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	+ ⅛
Am Rad Stl	44	20⅜	20⅛	20⅜	+ ⅛
Am Roll M pf	2	105¾	105¾	105¾	— ⅛
Am Safety Ras	3	13¾	13½	13¾	+ ⅛
Am Smelt & R	20	54	53	54	+ ½
Am Snuff	2	34	34	34	—
Am Stl Fdries	1	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝	— ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	1	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	+ ⅛
Am Tel & Tel	28	164¾	163½	164¼	+ ¾
Am Tobacco	3	63½	63½	63½	—
Am Tob "B"	13	68¼	67¾	68¼	+ ⅜
Am Viscose	13	48⅝	47¾	48⅛	+ ⅛
Am Wat Wks	18	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Am W Wks pf	1	104	104	104	— ½
Am Woolen	93	23⅝	21¾	23⅝	+ 1⅝
Am Wool pf	1	99	99	99	—
Am Zinc Lead	3	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	—
Anaconda Cop	44	37¾	37½	37¾	+ ⅛
Anchor H Gl	14	46	45	46	+ ½
Anderson Clay	1	15¼	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
Ander-Prich C	8	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Arch-Dan-M	4	31¾	31½	31½	— ⅛
Armour & Co	26	12¾	12	12¾	+ ⅛
Armstrong Ck	3	44	43	44	+ ½
Artloom Corp	1	17½	17½	17½	—
Asso Dry Gds	7	16⅝	16⅛	16⅛	— ⅛
A T & S F	8	81¾	80½	81¾	+ 1⅛
A T & S F pf	2	105½	105½	105½	—
A T Inc	1	13¾	13¾	13¾	—
Atl Coast Ln	10	50	49	50	+ ½
Atl Refining	2	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
Atlas Corp	1	22½	22½	22½	— ⅛
Aust Nichols	7	8½	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Aust Nich pf	2	115½	115	115	— ½
Autocar Co	2	24¼	24	24¼	+ ⅛
Autom Canteen	19	20¾	19⅞	20	+ ⅛
Avco Mfg	24	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	+ ⅛
Baid Loco	13	20¼	20	20⅛	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio	44	12	11⅞	12	+ ⅛
B & O pf	1	25	25	25	—
Barber Asph	1	51½	51½	51½	—
Barker Bros	1	21	21	21	—
Barnsdall Oil	28	23½	22	23½	+ 1⅛
Bath Ir Wks	4	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Beatrice Fds	2	44	44	44	— ½
Beech Aire	4	8	8	8	—
Beech-Nut P	2	34	34	34	+ ⅛
Belding-Hem	1	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
Bell Aire	7	20	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Bell & Howell	7	20	19¾	19¾	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	10	32	31¾	32	+ ⅛
Benef Ind Ln	1	20	20	20	— ⅛
Best & Co	1	32	32	32	+ ⅛
Best Foods	6	20¾	20⅝	20⅝	— ⅛
Beth Steel	42	86	84¾	85	— ½
Beth Steel pf	1	144½	144½	144½	+ ½
Bigelow-Sanf	4	54	52	53	— 1
Birming Elec	4	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
Blaw-Knox	7	18⅜	18	18⅛	— ⅛
Boeing Airpl	6	20⅝	20⅜	20⅜	— ⅛
Bond Stores	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Borden Co	12	41¼	40	41¼	+ 1¼
Borg-Warner	14	42	41¾	42	+ ⅛
Bost & Maine	1	4	4	4	—
Bowater N Pap	1	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
Bridgeport Brass	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Briggs Mfg	10	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Briggs & Strat	7	42¾	42¼	42¾	+ ⅛
Bristol-Myers	1	42½	42½	42½	— ⅛
Bkiyn Un Gas	7	21	21	21	— ⅛
Brown Shoe	1	29½	29½	29½	— ⅛
Brunswicke - B	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Bruncrys-Re	10	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Budd Co	23	11½	11½	11½	— ⅛
Buffalo Forge	1	27½	27½	27½	— ⅛
Bullard Co	2	19	18¾	19	+ ⅛
Bulova Watch	1	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	— ⅛
Burling Mills	24	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	— ⅛
Burr Add Mach	5	14	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Butler Bros	6	16⅝	16⅜	16⅜	— ⅛
Byers (AM)	3	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	— ⅛
Byron Jackson	1	23	23	23	— ⅛
Calif Packing	3	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	3	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	+ ⅛
Calumet & Hec	15	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
Campbell Wyan	4	27	26½	27	+ ⅛
Can Dry GAle	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	— ⅛
Canad Pac	32	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	— ⅛
Cannon Mills	1	58	58	58	— ½
Caro Pwd	3	34¼	34	34¼	+ ⅛
Carpenter Stl	1	42½	42½	42½	+ ½
Carrier Corp	2	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Carrpfd wi	10	56	54	56	+ 1
Celanese Corp	32	19½	18½	19¼	+ ⅝
Celanese 1st pf	1	108¼	108¼	108¼	— ¼
Celotex Corp	4	26½	26½	26½	— ⅛
Celotex Corp pf	2	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	4	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Cent Foundry	1	10½	9¾	10	— ⅛
Cen Hud G&E	3	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Cent R R N J	20	57	56½	57	+ ½
Cent Violeta S	8	26¾	26	26¾	+ ⅛
Cerro de Pas	12	32¾	30¾	31½	+ ⅛
Certain-td Pr	14	15½	15	15½	+ ⅛
Champ Pap &E	10	22	22	22	— ⅛
Checker Cab	2	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Ches Corp Va	11	26⅜	26⅛	26⅜	+ ⅛
Chicago Corp	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Chi & E Ill	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	— ⅛
Ches & Ohio	47	46	45	46	+ ⅝
Chi Gt W pf	1	11½	11½	11½	—
Chi Ind & Lou	2	7	7	7	— ⅛
Chi Ind &LS	22	9	9	9	— ⅛
Ch MStP&P pf	20	34	32¾	34	+ ⅛
Chi & NW	18	18	17⅝	18	+ ⅛
Chi & NW pf	1	42¾	42¾	42¾	— ⅛
Chi Pneu Tool	7	25½	25½	25½	+ ⅛
Childs Co	1	7	7	7	— ⅛
Chrysler Corp	60	92	89¾	92	+ 2¾
Cin G & E	2	23	23	23	— ⅛
Cin Mlg Mach	2	24¼	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
C I N G pf pf	11	40	39¾	40	+ ⅛
City Ice & Fuel	1	30	30	30	— ⅛
City Stores	3	19⅛	18⅞	19⅛	+ ⅛
Clev Elec Ill	5	29½	29½	29½	— ⅛
Clev Graph Br	2	62½	62½	62½	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	3	19¼	18¾	19¼	+ ⅛
Clinton Ind	3	17¼	17¼	17¼	— ⅛
Clueti Peabody	1	31	31	31	— ⅛
Coca-Cola	146	146	144	146	— 1
Colgate-P-P	3	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
Collins & Aik	3	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	24	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Col Gas & El	1	18½	18	18	— ⅛
Col S Antoin	3	33½	33½	33½	— ⅛
Colum Brcast A	4	24½	24½	24½	+ ⅛
Colum Brcast B	3	25¼	25¼	25¼	+ ⅛
Colum G & E	54	19¾	19½	19¾	+ ⅛
Colum Broad	1	17	17	17	—
Colum Carbon	3	32¾	32¾	32¾	+ ⅛
Col & So Ch M	3	41¾	41¾	41¾	+ ⅛
Comi Credit	2	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Comi Investment	1	42	42	42	— ⅛
Comwlth Edis	20	29½	29	29½	+ ⅛
Comwlth & So	62				
Com & So pf	121	103	102¾	103	— ⅛
Conde Nast	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Consol-Nairn	1	8	8	8	—
Cons Copper	5	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	—
Cons Edison	26	26½	26½	26½	— ⅛
Cons Oil Corp	106	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝	+ ⅛
Cons Grocery	1	15¾	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Cons Laundries	2	12	12	12	—
Cons Nat Gas	8	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝	+ ⅛
Consol RR Cr	4	21¼	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Cons Ret Stra	1	14½	14½	14½	— ⅛
Cons Vultee	12	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	—
Consum Pow	3	28⅜	28⅜	28⅜	— ⅛
Container Corp	8	32½	32½	32½	— ⅛
Cont Bak	1	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛
Cont Can	16	38¾	38½	38¾	+ ⅛
Cont Diam Rib	3	17	17	17	— ⅛
Cont Ins	3	80½	80½	80½	— ½
Cont Motors	2	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	21	30⅝	29¾	30⅝	+ ⅝
Cont Steel	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Cooper-Bess	1	14½	14½	14½	— ⅛
Copperweld	1	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	— ⅛
Corn Exch Stk	18	57	56	57	+ 1
Cornell-Dub M	4	16	15⅝	16	— ⅛
Corning Glass	1	27½	27½	27½	+ ⅛
Cotr Internat	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	—
Coty Inc	12	23	22¾	23	+ ⅛
Crane Co pf	1	103¾	103¾	103¾	+ ⅛
Cro Cork & S	1	37	37	37	—
Cro Zellerbach	9	27	26¾	27	+ ⅛
Crucible Steel	7	39¾	38¾	39¼	+ ⅛
Crucible Stl pf	1	83	83	83	+ 1
Cub-Am Sug	2	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	— ⅛
Cudahy Pack	7	40	40	40	+ ⅛
Cunso Press	1	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅛
Curtis Pub	30	8½	8½	8½	— ⅛
Curtis P pf pf	2	65½	64¾	65½	+ ⅝
Curtiss - Wr	40	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
Curtiss - Wr A	7	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Cutler-Ham	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Davis Coal	2	24¼	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Davega Stores	1	16½	16½	16½	— ⅛
Davison Chem	21	19⅝	19⅜	19⅝	+ ⅛
Dayton P & L	1	19½	19½	19½	— ⅛
Deere & Co	8	34⅞	34⅜	34⅞	+ ⅛
Del & Hud	4	36½	36½	36½	— ⅛
Del Lack & W	11	74	73½	74	+ ⅛
Den & R G W	16	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Den & R G W pf	1	28¼	28¼	28¼	— ⅛
Det Edison	12	24	23¾	24	+ ⅛
Det Stl Corp	1	19½	19½	19½	— ⅛
Diamond Mat	1	19⅜	19⅜	19⅜	— ⅛
Diam Mat pf	1	44¼	44¼	44¼	— ⅛
Diam T Mot	1	30½	30½	30½	— ⅛
Dist Corp-S	19	12	11¾	12	+ ⅛
Dr Pepper	4	27	26¾	27	—
Doehler-Jar	2	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	— ⅛
Dome Mines	2	39	38¾	39	+ ⅛
Douglas Aire	3	23½	23½	23½	— ⅛
Dresser Indus	1	17	17	17	— ⅛
Dunhill Int	1	12	12	12	— ⅛
Dupan Corp	1	20	20	20	— ⅛
Du Pont de N	121	180	178¾	179¾	+ ⅛
Du Pont pf	1	127	127	127	+ 1
DWG Cigar	6	16¼	16¼	16¼	— ⅛
Eagle-Pich	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Eastern Air	3	23	23	23	— ⅛

Sales					Net
Add 00	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
Eas Tin Cons	5	5¼	5	5¼	— ⅛
Eas Wrap Ord	44	32½	32½	32½	+ ⅛
Eastman Kodak	2231	231¾	230¾	231¾	+ 2⅛
Eaton Mfg	1	49	48½	49	+ ½
Edis Bros Stor	1	21⅜	21¼	21¼	— ⅛
Elec Prod	13	20⅝	19⅞	20	— ⅛
Electric Sh Ry	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	—
El Auto-Lite	1	53	53	53	—
Elec Boat	3	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
El & Mus Ind	12	3⅝	3½	3⅝	+ ⅛
El P&L $6 pf	1	114	114	114	+ ½
El P&L $7 pf	1	142	142	142	— ½
El Storage Bat	2	50¾	50	50¾	+ ⅛
Elgin Nat Wat	1	20	20	20	— ⅛
El Paso N Gas	1	49¾	49¾	49¾	— ⅛
Emerson Rad	1	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Empire D El	1	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Endicott-John	1	49½	49½	49½	— ⅛
Eng Pub Serv	26	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
Equit Off Bldg	11	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
Erie RR	2	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Erie RR pf A	1	32½	32½	32½	— ⅛
Eureka Vacuum	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Evans Prod	1	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Exchange Buff	1	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
Fairm Tel & R	4	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	2	11¾	10⅝	11¾	+ ⅛
Fed D Store	14	19½	19½	19½	— ⅛
Fed Pac Elec	3	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Fenes Emsen	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Fid P Fire Ins	1	32	32	32	— ⅛
Firestone T&R	8	33¾	33½	33¾	— ⅛
First Nat Strs	1	33	33	33	— ½
Flintkote Co	1	29½	29½	29½	— ⅛
Florsheim Sh A	2	20	20	20	+ ⅛
Follansbee Stl	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Food Fair Strs	14	19¾	19⅜	19¾	+ ⅛
Food Mach	2	30	30	30	— ⅛
Foster Wheeler	3	24	23½	24	+ ⅛
Francisco Sug	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Freeport Sul	1	44	44	44	— ⅛
Froedt Galv	1	14½	14½	14½	— ⅛
Fruehauf Trlr	4	29	29	29	— ⅛
Gabriel Co	6	12¼	12¼	12¼	— ⅛
Gair Robt	2	7	6¾	7	— ⅛
Gair Robt pf	1	20	20	20	—
Galvin Mfg	1	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
Gardner-Denver	1	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	3	4¾	4¾	4¾	— ⅛
Garford Corp	11	13⅝	13⅜	13⅝	+ ⅛
Gen Am Invest	5	34½	34½	34½	— ⅛
Gen Am Trans	3	30½	30½	30½	+ ⅛
Gen Baking	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Gen Cable	10	10⅞	10⅝	10⅞	+ ⅛
Gen Cable 2 pf	1	42½	42½	42½	— ⅛
Gen Elec	47	35⅝	35⅜	35⅝	+ ⅛
Gen Foods	3	42¾	42¾	42¾	— ⅛
Gen Instrument	1	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
Gen Mills	2	44¾	44¾	44¾	— ⅛
Gen Motors	87	64¾	63¾	64¾	+ ⅝
Gen Motors pf	3	125½	125½	125½	— ⅛
Gen Mot pf wi	3	103½	103½	103½	— ⅛
Gen Out Adv	1	16	15¾	16	— ⅛
Gen Pub Serv	2	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Gen Ry Signal	1	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞	+ ⅛
Gen Real & Ut	4	21¼	21¼	21¼	— ⅛
Gen Refract	4	21¼	21	21¼	— ⅛
Gen Shoe	1	21¼	21¼	21¼	— ⅛
Gen Tel pf	1	31½	31½	31½	— ⅛
Gen T & Rub	2	29	28½	29	+ ½
Gillette Saf R	4	29	28½	29	+ ½
Gimbel Bros	29	21¾	20¾	21¾	+ ⅛
Gladden Co	10	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅛
Gladden cv pf	1	53	53	53	—
Goebel Brew	9	6	6	6	—
Goodall-Sanf	3	26½	25¾	26½	+ ⅛
Goodrich (B F)	3	30¾	30¾	30¾	+ ⅛
Goodyear T&R	15	33	32	33	+ ⅛
Goth Hosiery	1	17	17	17	—
Graham-Pa Mot	22	4½	4	4½	+ ⅛
Granby C Min	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Grand Union	2	34¾	34	34¾	+ ⅛
Granite City Stl	3	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
Grant (W T)	3	28¾	28¾	28¾	— ⅛
Grayson-Robin	2	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
Gt N Ir Ore ctf	3	40¾	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
Gt North Ry pf	18	40½	40	40½	— ⅛
Gt West Sug	3	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Green (H L)	3	64½	64½	64½	— ⅛
Greenf & D	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Greyhound Cp	83	30¾	29¾	30¾	+ 1
Grum Aire En	7	22	21¾	22	— ⅛
Gulf Mob&O wi	17	9¼	9	9¼	— ⅛
Gulf Mob&Ohio	14	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Gulf Oil	89	53⅝	53⅛	53⅝	+ ⅛
Hall (WF) Pri	12	15½	15½	15½	+ ⅛
Hamil Watch	1	13½	13½	13½	— ⅛
Harb-Walk	10	22¾	22¾	22¾	+ ⅛
Hart Sch & M	2	32½	32	32½	— ⅛
Hayes Indust	2	23¼	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
Hayes Mfg	3	6¾	6¾	6¾	—
Hazel-Atlas Gl	4	30¾	30¼	30¼	— ⅛
Helme (GW)	2	66	65	66	— ½
Hercules Mot	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Hercules Powd	8	107	107	107	— ½
Hinde & Dauch	1	28	28	28	— ⅛
Holland Furn	2	34	34	34	— ⅛
Hollander & S	1	16	16	16	— ⅛
Holly Sugar	2	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
Homestake M	3	40¾	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
Houd- Hershey	10	15¾	14¾	15½	+ 1
Houd-Hersh pf	2	48	47¼	47¼	— ⅛
Household Fin	1	30	30	30	— ⅛
Houston L&P	1	41¾	41¾	41¾	— ⅛
Hou L&P pf wi	79				
Houston Oil	23	20¼	19¾	20¼	+ ⅛
Howard Stra	2	21½	21½	21½	— ⅛
Hudson & Man	4	4¼	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
Hud Bay Min&	1	24¼	24¼	24¼

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Gregg Spins One-Hitter Against Phils

This Morning

—With Shirley Povich

PHILADELPHIA, April 22.—The story is out that Baseball Commissioner Chandler not only has in his hire a slew of former FBI agents checking on any suspicious actions of the ballplayers and gamblers, but he has taken sterner steps.

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Since getitng the reports of his agents, Chandler has provided big league club owners with lists of known gamblers in each city and instructed the magnates to keep them out of their ball parks. Compliance with any such order would be at least the trick of the week. Chandler didn't say who would pay the cost of screening every ticket buyer.

Chandler is trying something that even the late Judge Landis in all his zeal to separate gambling from baseball didn't attempt. Six days a week, the easiest thing that can be done is buy a ticket to a ball game. Even if the club owners put in with Chandler and honestly attempted to keep the gamblers from their parks, it would be tough.

But despite all the prattle about keeping the game above suspicion, there never has been any concerted effort except by Ed Barrow, when he was president of the Yankees, to deny tickets to either known or unknown gamblers. Barrow once had a big staff of detectives assigned to the job of keeping out of Yankee Stadium a small list of gambling men, but you may be sure that for every gambler kept out a dozen slipped in.

WHEN THE Brooklyn club opened its season last week, and 5000 empty seats marked the stadium, the gagsters had a ready explanation. "Rick-eye asked for it," they said, "with his campaign to keep the gamblers out." That was overdrawing the story, of course, but for years the men who bet on ball games have comprised a huge chunk of the attendance figures in every park.

In fact, in baseball's lean years before the wartime prosperity sent attendance booming, certain club owners were grateful, or should have been, for the steady patronage of the gamblers. In Boston, Philadelphia and Washington, on certain days, when the paid attendance fell below 2000, the gamblers' admissions were important figures. Clustered in their left-field hangout at Shibe Park, their right-field shelter in Boston and behind home plate in Griffith Stadium, they represented a nice basic sale for the clubs.

In those days there was no great howl against the gambling element and, it may be added, no scandal either. While the clubs may have frowned politely against such characters, they never went so far as to deny them admission or otherwise take steps to knock the props out from under such a sizable, steady income as the betting gentry provided.

BUT WITH the boom in attendance, Chandler and the club owners are now getting very righteous about their industry. The revenue from the gamblers no longer stacks up as important money in the light of big crowds. And so you see big league baseball beating its breasts and proclaiming its determination to keep the rascals out.

There was a decision rendered the other day by the New York State Court of Appeals that if upheld may give the clubs, however, the power to bar any patron "without reason or excuse," as long as the exclusion is not founded on race, color, creed or national origin. It gives a club owner the right to bar, without explanation, any person even suspected of making a friendly bet on a ball game.

The case came up when the Jamaica Race Track officials, seeking to exclude known bookmakers who were taking play away from the mutuel machines, denied admission to a gent named Coley Madden, in the belief that he was Owney Madden, big shot racketeer. It proved a case of mistaken identity, but it served to highlight the right of tracks to pick their customers.

IF THAT is the privilege of race tracks, it may well be also the privilege of club owners to bar from their parks any person even suspected of being undesirable. Under a strict interpretation, the man in the grandstand who turns to his neighbor and says, "I'll bet you a buck the Nats win this one," could be rousted out of his seat and put on the blacklist.

Baseball wouldn't go that far, of course, because its parks would be half empty if every man who made a small bet on a ball game got the heave-ho. It's only the professional gamblers Chandler is interested in excluding, but he could better bend his efforts to tailing the ballplayers and their associations than to discourage gambling by professional gamblers.

No ball game was ever fixed by gamblers without the collusion of ballplayers. Chandler can never stop betting on ball games, but he could stop betting on ball games by ballplayers—if any.

Yanks Edge Bosox, 5-4 In Queer Tilt

New York, April 22 (AP).—Three New York Yankees' hits, one a three-run homer by Charley Keller in the first inning and two automatic singles, enabled Floyd Evans to win a 5-4 decision over Boston today in the first meeting of the two clubs this season.

What had been a duel of home runs turned into a battle of breaks in a wild eighth inning. Many of the chilled crowd of 25,053 fans had started home after Rudy York's homer with Dom DiMaggio on base had given the Sox a one-run lead in the top of the frame.

Rizzuto Starts It

The Yanks' winning rally started innocently enough on a walk to Phil Rizzuto by Earl Johnson, who had replaced Joe Dobson in the seventh. When Johnny Pesky dropped Johnson's peg on Bobby Brown's sacrifice bunt, all hands were safe.

George McQuinn moved them up with a bunt and Rizzuto scored the tying run when Keller's smash bounced off Umpire Jim Rue's shins at second base for an automatic single. After Fritz Dorish replaced Johnson, Brown came home to win it, when Pinch Hitter Tom Henrich flied to D. DiMaggio, who made a running overhead catch in center field.

Williams Clouts His Third

Rizzuta had opened the first inning with a walk, but was out when hit on the leg by McQuinn's bouncer that went as an automatic single. Joe DiMaggio walked and Keller homered into the rightfield seats.

Ted Williams got one back in the third with a long drive into the upper right-field stands, his third of the year. Rookie Sam Mele picked up another in the fourth with his first home run.

Boston	AB	H	O	A	New York	AB	H	O	A
G'ridge,2b	4	0	2	0	Rizzuto,ss	2	0	2	1
cShofner	1	0	0	0	Brown,3b	4	0	2	1
Pesky,ss	4	2	3	3	McQuinn,1b	3	1	13	0
D.D'M'gio,cf	4	0	1	0	J.D'M'gio,cf	1	0	1	0
W'lams,lf	3	1	2	0	Keller,lf	3	2	1	0
York,1b	4	1	6	0	Berra,rf	3	0	2	0
Mele,rf	3	1	5	0	dLindell	0	0	0	0
Partee,c	3	0	5	0	Henrich,rf	1	0	1	0
P'grini,3b	4	1	0	0	Robinson,c	4	0	4	0
Dobson,p	1	0	0	1	St'vens,2b	2	1	1	2
aGoodman	1	0	0	0	Bevens,p	2	0	0	3
E.J'son,p	0	0	0	2					
Dorish,p	0	0	0	0	Totals	25	3	27	11
bMoses	1	0	0	0					
Totals	33	7	24	6					

aLined out for Dobson in 7th.
bGrounded out for Dorish in 9th.
cFanned for Gutteridge in 9th.
dBatted for Berra in 8th but was replaced at bat by Henrich.

Boston	001	100	020—4
New York	300	000	02x—5

Runs—D. DiMaggio, Williams, York, Mele, Rizzuto, Brown, McQuinn, J. DiMaggio, Keller. Errors—Brown, Pesky, Keller. Runs batted in—Keller (4), Williams, Mele, York (3), Henrich. Home runs—Keller, Williams, Mele, York. Stolen base—D. DiMaggio. Sacrifices—Dobson, Bevens, Partee, McQuinn. Left on bases—Boston, 8; New York, 5. Base on balls—Bevens, 4; Dobson, 4; E. Johnson, 2. Strikeouts—Dobson, 3; Bevens, 4; E. Johnson, 2. Hits—Dobson, 2 in 6; E. Johnson, 1 in 1⅓; Dorish, 0 in ⅔. Hit by pitched ball—By Dobson (Stirnweiss). Balk—Dobson. Losing pitcher—E. Johnson. Umpires—Summers, Rue and Paparella. Time of game—2:00. Attendance—25,053 paid.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

MAN IN A RUN-DOWN—St. Louis Brown Third Baseman Bob Dillinger (left), and Catcher Jack Moss (right), run down Cleveland's George Metkovich between third and home in yesterday's game, won by Cleveland, 5-0, on Bob Feller's one-hitter

Bum Hurler Tops 'Dutch' In Duel, 1-0

Brooklyn, April 22 (AP).—Making his first starting appearance of the season, right-hander Hal Gregg turned back the Philadelphia Phillies with one hit today as the Brooklyn Dodgers nosed out the Quakers, 1-0.

Del Ennis' first-inning two-bagger was the lone hit off Gregg, who at one stretch retired 20 batters in a row.

Jackie Robinson scored the lone run of the game in the eighth inning. The Negro infielder popped a single back of second, stole second and moved to third on Catcher Andy Seminick's overthrow. After Dixie Walker got a walk, Robinson romped home with the pay-off counter as Gene Hermanski singled to center.

Dutch Leonard went the route for the Phils and was touched for nine hits after the third inning.

Outside of the first inning, Gregg had only one other bad round, the ninth. With two out, Ennis walked and moved to third when Robinson booted Ron Northey's grounder. Nick Etten, batting for Jim Tabor, then forced Northey at second to end the game.

All told, Gregg faced 32 batters in pitching his near masterpiece, fanning two, walking two and hitting a batter.

Ph'delphia	AB	H	O	A	Brooklyn	AB	H	O	A
N'some,ss	3	0	3	1	Stanky,2b	4	2	4	2
aGilbert	1	0	0	0	Robinson,1b	4	2	12	0
Wyrostek,cf	4	0	2	0	Reiser,cf	3	0	3	0
Ennis,lf	3	1	3	0	Walker,rf	3	0	1	0
Northey,rf	3	0	1	1	H'manski,lf	4	1	3	0
Tabor,3b	3	0	1	0	Edwards,c	4	2	5	0
bEtten	1	0	0	0	J'ensen,3b	3	1	0	1
McC'sk,1b	3	0	5	0	Reese,ss	4	0	0	4
Seminick,c	2	0	5	1	Gregg,p	3	1	0	1
Verban,2b	3	0	4	2					
Leonard,p	3	0	0	1	Totals	32	9	27	11
Totals	29	1	24	6					

aFlied out for Newsome in ninth.
bGrounded out for Tabor in ninth.

Philadelphia	000	000	000—0
Brooklyn	000	000	01x—1

Run—Robinson. Errors—Tabor, Seminick, Robinson. Run batted in—Hermanski. Two-base hit—Ennis. Stolen base—Robinson. Double play—Northey to Seminick. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 5; Brooklyn, 10. Bases on balls—Gregg, 2; Leonard, 3. Strikeouts—Gregg, 4; Leonard, 4. Hit by pitcher—Gregg (Seminick). Umpires—Stewart, Jorda, Henline and Magerkurth. Time—2:02. Attendance—6790.

Griff Seeks Wording for Johnson Memorial; Okays Nick Altrock Day for September 15

Owner Clark Griffith of the Nats had a busy time at the Touchdown Club yesterday.

He asked the Touchdowners and the general public to help him select "appropriate wording" for the Walter Johnson memorial at Griffith Stadium.

He joined the Touchdowners in setting September 15 aside as a Nick Altrock Day at the ball park on the old coach's seventy-first birthday.

'And he (Griff) made a speech. So did Nick and Joe Judge, former Nat coach, now coaching Georgetown University's team with eight straight wins. Mike Martin, veteran Nat trainer, also was at the head table.

About the Johnson memorial, Griff said:

"It's just about ready. The people working on it are after me to tell them what to inscribe on the memorial. But that's a hard thing to do. So I'm asking for suggestions.

"The wording should not be more than four or five words long. Maybe it should say something like 'Great Pitcher of All Time.' Or 'His pitching will live forever.'"

Suggestions by fans may be sent to the Touchdown Club. The person whose suggestion is selected will be invited by Griffith to sit in President Truman's box at Griffith Stadium the day that the Johnson memorial is dedicated.

"Kip" Edwards, chairman, and Bob Simmons, vice-chairman, head a committee of Touchdowners on the Nick Altrock day. The old lefthander and funnyman is in his fiftieth year in baseball. Detroit will be here to play the Nats on Altrock Day, September 15.

Not fogetting the infant 1947 pennant race, Griff told the Touchdowners:

"If our young pitchers come through we will be up in the race. All they have to do is work on their control and they'll be winning pitchers.

"We've got about five youngsters (Hudson, Masterson, Candini, Scarborough, Pieretti) who really have enough stuff to be fine pitchers if they can throw the ball where they're looking.

"We worked on control, control, control in spring training. The boys say they now have it down pat. And Hudson and Masterson already have shown a big improvement in control in pitching our first two wins this season."

Miller Belts 5th Home Run, Reds Win, 7-6

Chicago, April 22 (INS).—Eddie Miller slammed his fifth home run of the year today, then came back with the tenth-inning single which scored the winning run as the Cincinnati Reds tipped the Cubs, 7 to 6, in a 24-hit contest witnessed by 5484 fans.

Miller's circuit clout, first of three Cincinatti homers, came in the second inning after the Reds had notched two first-inning markers off Cub Rookie Doyle Lade. Bobby Adams hit for the circuit in the third and Ray Mueller homered in the fourth; and Augie Galan's single brought a sixth Redleg run in the fifth.

The Cubs, meanwhile hammered Joe Beggs from the mound with a three-run uprising in the third, then knotted the count at 6-all and routed John Hetki with three more in the eighth. Peanuts Lowrey's single with the bases filled was the big blow of the Bruins' eighth-inning assault.

In the tenth, Bert Haas led off with a single for Cincinnati, went to second on a sacrifice, and tallied on Miller's bingle to center.

Paul Erickson last of five Cub hurlers, took the loss, while Harry Gumbert, who succeeded Hetki in the eighth for Cincinnati, was the winning pitcher.

Cincinnati	AB	H	O	A	Chicago	AB	H	O	A
B'hclts,rf	5	2	3	0	Hack,3b	3	2	1	2
Adams,2b	4	1	6	2	gSchen	0	0	0	0
Hatton,3b	4	2	1	1	Lowrey,lf	6	2	2	0
Galan,lf	5	2	4	0	Pafko,cf	5	1	1	0
Haas,1b	5	1	6	0	C'retta,1b	5	1	13	1
Mueller,c	4	1	4	1	Scheffing,c	5	2	8	0
Vollmer,cf	4	0	2	0	H'olson,rf	3	0	4	0
aLukon	1	0	0	0	Johnson,3b	3	0	1	0
Usher,cf	0	0	0	0	Merulo,ss	5	1	1	3
Miller,ss	5	2	4	3	Lade,p	0	0	0	0
Beggs,p	1	0	0	1	bD'lessan	1	1	0	0
Hetki,p	0	0	0	0	Meyer,p	0	0	0	1
Gumbert,p	2	0	0	0	cRickert	1	0	0	0
					Lee,p	0	0	0	1
Totals	41	13	30	9	dWaltkns	1	0	0	0
					Kush,p	0	0	1	0
					eFrey	1	0	0	0
					Erickson,p	0	0	0	2
					fMcC'lough	1	0	0	0
					Totals	42	11	30	16

aStruck out for Vollmer in tenth.
bDoubled for Lade in second.
cFlied out for Meyer in fourth.
dStruck out for Lee in sixth.
eStruck out for Kush in eighth.
fFlied out for Erickson in tenth.
gRan for Hack in tenth.

Cincinnati	211	110	000	1—7
Chicago	030	000	030	0—6

Runs—Baumholtz (2), Adams, Hatton, Haas, Mueller, Miller, Hack, Scheffing, Johnson, Merulo (2), Dallessandro. Errors—Lee, Adams, Miller. Runs batted in—Hatton, Haas, Miller (2), Adams, Mueller, Galan, Dallessandro (2), Lowrey (3), Pafko. Two-base hits—Hatton, Dallessandro, Merullo. Home runs—Miller, Adams, Mueller. Sacrifices—Adams, Mueller. Double play—Merullo to Johnson and Cavarretta. Left on bases—Cincinnati, 9; Chicago, 11. Bases on balls—Lade, 1; Kush, 1; Erickson, 1; Beggs, 1; Hetki, 3; Gumbert, 1. Strikeouts—Lade, 1; Kush, 1; Erickson, 3; Beggs, 1; Gumbert, 1. Hits—Lade, 3 in 2; Meyer, 2 in 2; Lee, 3 in 2; Kush, 1 in 2; Erickson, 5 in 2; Beggs, 4 in 1⅔; Hetki, 6 in 5⅔; Gumbert, 1 in 2⅓. Winner—Gumbert. Loser—Erickson. Umpires—Reardon, Goetz and Conlon. Time, 2:18. Attendance, 5484.

Nats 'Sunshined' Out of Game With A's, Try Again Today

By Shirley Povich
Post Reporter

Philadelphia, April 22.—The Nats may not be the best team in the American League but today they were the most amazed. They detrained three blocks from Shibe Park shortly after noon, walked up to the gates of the Stadium and learned there was to be no ball game.

"No game on account of sunshine," grinned a park attendant.

The sun was, indeed, high in a cloudless sky, the weather wasn't even bracing. No threat of rain, no nothing except a nice day.

Incredibly, Connie Mack had declared a postponement, in the interest of a more profitable double header later in the season. His last-place Athletics, after four defeats in a row, were in ill odor in Philadelphia and he was waiting for better times.

"Game called off on account of double header in July," cracked Buck Newsom.

They didn't play a ball game, but the Nats had no off day. Manager Ossie Bluege, after recovering from his astonishment at the postponement, declared, "It's still a perfect day for a workout," and he shepherded his team inside the park for a 90-minute batting and fielding session.

Tomorrow when they do meet the Athletics, unless Connie Mack shies off again from nice weather, the Nats will be meeting up with Phil Marchildon of the A's, the only pitcher to win a game for them this season.

It was Marchildon who turned back the Yankees in the A's opening game of the season, and the Nats rate him as the Athletics' toughest man to beat. Bluege, however, reports Early Wynn fit and ready to do a pitching job for the Nats.

What is bothering Bluege at this point is the numerous postponements that have thrown his pitching staff out of whack. Wynn will be working tomorrow with eight days rest between starts, and the same goes for Mickey Haefner, Buck Newsom and Sid Hudson, when they next take the mound.

"That's too much rest," moaned Bluege. "Wynn and Newsom particularly need work, or they get too fat. They're best when they're working every fourth day. Look at Newsom, he didn't pitch until the season was four days old and the nhe worked only four innings with eight days between his first and second starts. It sets them back."

Bluege disclosed that he is shelving what had been plans to alternate Joe Grace and George Case in left field, depending on the pitching the Nats face. He points to the fact that the Nats didn't win with Grace in the lineup in their first three games, and then won two in a row with Case in left field.

"Case hasn't been hitting much, either, but he gives us more spark, and he's a threat on the bases. I'm going to leave him in there, at least until we run into worse luck," said Bluege.

Stan Spence and Tom Ferrick raced for the hotel after learning of today's postponement before learning that the club would hold a workout nevertheless . . . Bluge forgave them both . . . George Binks, who moved into right field for the Athletics after Elmer Valo was hurt, has made 5 hits in 13 times at bat and is the A's only .300 hitter . . . Gerry Priddy is still bothered by the weak knee that forced him out of the Nats' lineup late last season, and now is wearing a steel brace on the limb, hopeful that he can last the season out.

15th Ace Dropped By British Vet

London, April 22 (U.P.).—James Braid, 77-year-old "grand daddy of British golf and five-time winner of the British Open tournament, today boasted the fifteenth hole-in-one of his long career.

Playing in a fuorsome yesterday, Braid holed out on the 165-yard tenth hole of the new Walton Heath course at Surrey. Braid promptly rewarded his caddy with a pound note.

The British record for holes in one is 19, held by the late Sandy Herd of Scotland.

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Tribe combed Muncrief for nine hits before he was relived for a pinch hitter in the ninth.

St. Louis	AB	H	O	A	Cleveland	AB	H	O	A
D'inger,3b	4	0	1	5	Peck,rf	4	1	2	0
Zarilla,rf	4	1	1	0	M'ovich,cf	4	1	2	0
Stephens,ss	3	0	0	2	Boudreau,ss	4	2	2	7
Heath,lf	3	0	2	0	Fleming,1b	4	1	7	1
Witte,1b	3	0	12	0	Seerer,lf	4	1	1	0
Judnich,cf	3	0	1	0	Gordon,2b	3	1	3	0
B'ardino,2b	3	0	4	3	Keltner,3b	2	1	0	2
Moss,c	2	0	3	2	Hegan,c	3	0	10	0
Muncrief,p	2	0	0	1	Feller,p	2	1	1	3
Fannin,p	0	0	0	1					
aColeman	1	0	0	0	Totals	30	9	27	8
Totals	28	1	24	14					

aHit into force play for Fannin in 9th.

St. Louis	000	000	000—0
Cleveland	002	003	00x—5

Runs—Peck, Fleming, Seerey, Gordon, Keltner. Runs batted in—Peck, Metkovich, Gordon (3). Two-base hit—Keltner. Home run—Gordon. Sacrifice—Feller. Double play—Stephens to Barardino to White. Left on bases—St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 4. Base on balls—Muncrief, 2; Feller, 1. Strikeouts—Feller, 10; Muncrief, 2. Hits—Muncrief, 9 in 7; Fannin, 0 in 1. Losing pitcher—Muncrief. Umpires—McKinley, Grieve, Jones and McGowan. Time of game—1:42. Attendance—3629.

Rough Riders Bow To Devitt, 13 to 6

Devitt Prep's Destroyers chalked up their second win in three games yesterday as they defeated Roosevelt's Rough Riders, 13-6, at Roosevelt.

Gene Gould, Devitt righthander, pitched no-hit ball until the seventh when Buddy Blair led off for Roosevelt with a single. Gould was removed, and two errors and four walks gave the Riders four runs. Claude Crump led Devitt with two singles in two trips.

Devitt Prep	323	103	1—13
Roosevelt	000	200	4—6

Gould, Spangler (7), Todd (7) and Lacorey. Thrift (4), Galloway (6); Shelton, Keefer (3), Murrel (7) and Peratino, Yadelevit (5).

Czech Paddlers Win

Prague, April 22 (AP).—Czechoslovakia won the European table tennis championships today by defeating the French team, five matches to one.

The Kids' Corner:

Another King Boy, 'Chicken,' Follows Brother's Lead

"PUGGY" KING, one of Washington's leading amateur boxers, and holder of Silver, Junior Golden, Golden Gloves and AAU titles here, has a younger brother who is also compiling an outstanding ring record.

Eleven-year-old "Chicken" King was voted the best boxer at Georgetown Branch last year when he won the 60-round championship in both the Silver and Junior Golden Gloves tournaments.

This year, "Chicken" won every Boys Club Boxing Conference bout that he took part in, six in all. Then he again won the Silver Gloves championship, and capped his season's record by taking the recent Junior Golden Gloves title.

In addition, "Chicken" plays guard on the Georgetown Branch basketball team, and is a star outfielder on the midget baseball nine.

THE MERRICK Club's unlimited volleyball team is seeking games to be played on the Merrick court. Also, the Merrick Insect Class baseball team wants practice games with teams in its class. Call FRanklin 8120.

The Metropolitan Police Boys Club model sail and power boat contests, originally scheduled for last week, will take place Saturday. The delay was caused by the pleas of many of the lads that their boats were not completed in time for the earlier contest date.

Final Rites Paid Bidwill

Chicago, April 22 (AP).—Charles W. Bidwill, 51, millionaire sportsman, was buried today after one of Chicago's largest funerals, a 500-car procession that included sports leaders, politicians and the "Sidewalk Alumni Association" of Bidwill's Chicago Cardinals.

Nearly 50 policemen and a score of Andy Frain ushers handled the overflow crowd of mourners at St. Catherine of Sienna Church where a solemn high mass was sung. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery.

The legion of friends Bidwill had throughout the country sent an estimated $100,000 flowers in sympathy for the man who was best known as operator of the Cardinals and horse and dog tracks, but whose generosity reached hundreds of folks "down on their luck."

Not only husky members of his own Cardinal team, but also players from the rival Chicago Bears paid final respects to the tall, grey-pompadoured man, who died of pneumonia Saturday morning.

The National Football League was widely represented, while other mourners included Mayor Martin Kennelly, former Mayor Edward J. Kelly, former Heavyweight Jack Dempsey, and roughshoed stable hands from Bidwill's Sportsman Park which opens its season next Saturday.

Rev. Fr. Joseph Bilstein, S. J., president of St. Ignatius High School which Bidwill once attended, lauded the sportsman's generous support of youth sports activities in anonymous fashion. "He never wanted to be placed on a pedestal," said Father Bilstein.

New Pro Grid Loop May Start in Va.

Charlottesville, Va., April 22 (AP).—A new six-club professional football league in Virginia?

That was the rumor here today, started by announcement that Carl Deane, former Duke quarterback, would sponsor a Charlottesville pro club, to be known as the "Cardinals," manned by local players and graduate students at the University of Virginia or others who have used up their college eligibility.

Mentioned as possibly interested in affiliating with the suggested circuit were Petersburg, Lynchburg, Hopewell, Danville, Staunton and Harrisonburg.

Catholic U. On Terror Schedule

Westminster, Md., April 22 (AP).—Western Maryland will take on three new opponents in the 1947 football campaign, Director of Athletics Charles W. Havens announced today.

Three new foes will appear on the card as the terrors open with Harvard at Cambridge, Mass., and later play Catholic University at home and Johns Hopkins at Baltimore.

The nine-game schedule:

September 27, Harvard, at Cambridge; October 4, Gettysburg, at Gettysburg, Pa.; 11, Catholic, here; 18, Washington College, at Chestertown, Md.; 25, Mount St. Mary's, here.

November 1, Hampden Sydney, at Hampden Sydney, Va.; 8, Delaware, at Wilmington, Del.; 15, Dickinson, here; 22, Johns Hopkins, Baltimore.

The Majors

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	3	0	1.000	....
New York	5	2	.714	....
Boston	4	2	.667	½
Cleveland	2	2	.500	1½
Detroit	2	3	.400	2
WASHINGTON	2	3	.400	2
St. Louis	1	3	.250	2½
Philadelphia	1	5	.167	3½

Yesterday's Results

New York, 5; Boston, 4.
Cleveland, 5; St. Louis, 0.
WASHINGTON at Philadelphia, cold.
Chicago at Detroit, cold.

Games Today

St. Louis at Cleveland
Galehouse (0-1) vs. Embree (0-1).
Boston at New York
Ferriss (1-0) vs. Reynolds (1-0).
Chicago at Detroit
Lopat (1-0) vs. Trout (0-1).
WASHINGTON at Philadelphia
Wynn (0-1) vs. Fowler (0-1).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Pittsburgh	5	1	.833	....
Brooklyn	3	2	.600	1½
Philadelphia	4	3	.571	1½
Cincinnati	4	5	.444	2½
Chicago	3	4	.429	2½
New York	2	3	.400	2½
Boston	2	3	.400	2½
St. Louis	2	4	.333	3

Yesterday's Results

Brooklyn, 1; Philadelphia, 0.
Cincinnati, 7; Chicago, 6.
New York at Boston, cold.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis, cold.

Games Today

New York at Boston
Jansen (0-0) vs. Spahn (0-0).
Philadelphia at Brooklyn
Judd (0-1) vs. Higbe (1-0).
Cincinnati at Chicago
Schmitz (0-1) vs. Erautt (0-2).
Pittsburgh at St. Louis
Roe (1-0) or Heintzelman (0-0) vs. Munger (1-0).

Terps Face Richmond Nine

The University of Maryland baseball and lacrosse teams stage a double-header at College Park today, the Terp diamonders taking on the University of Richmond at 3 p. m. and the lacrossemen battling Loyola of Baltimore at 4.

The Maryland baseball team, winner of only two out of seven games, meets in Richmond, a club that has eight consecutive victories to its credit. Harry Hughes, Nick Panella and Joe Fitzpatrick, all righthanders, will be ready for Terp mound duty.

The Terp lacrosse tilt with Loyola should provide a good tuneup for the clash with the powerful Mount Washington Club ten at Homewood Field in Baltimore Saturday night.

Heusser Farmed

Brooklyn, April 22 (AP).—Ed Heusser, veteran right-hander obtained by the Brooklyn Dodgers from Cincinnati in the Augie Galan deal last winter, has been assigned to the Montreal Club of the International League.

Navy Engages Gettysburg

Annapolis, Md., April 22 (AP).—Navy's baseball team, defeated once in intercollegiate competition, goes after its sixth victory tomorrow against Gettysburg.

Coach Max Bishop is expected to start Andy Frahler on the hill, giving Ronnie Burton a rest after his three-hit performance in edging out Yale, 2 to 1, Saturday. The Middies have two more games this week, against North Carolina Friday and Duke Saturday, both away.

The Navy tennis team meets William and Mary tomorrow, its third tough opponent in a row. Yale and North Carolina have trimmed the Tars in their last two outings.

Another event on the program is the plebe baseball clash with Catonsville High School. All three start at 4 p. m.

Woodward Wins From Central

Woodward Prep's Red Devils took advantage of the wildness of three Central pitchers to defeat the Vikings, 4-1, yesterday at Central.

The Devils scored three times in the third inning on a hit batsman, a sacrifice, a single by Danny Bass, and successive walks to Jack Castro, Joe Umholtz and Glenn Pate. Four consecutive walks in the fifth gave the Preps their last run. It was the third straight victory for undefeated Woodward.

Woodward	003	010	0—4	3	1
Central	000	010	0—1	8	1

Duvall, Umholtz (5) and Pantouris; Murphy, Walsh (3), Keith (5) and Sasko.

Hoyas Take Golf Match by 7½-1½

Golfers of Georgetown University chalked up their fifth triumph in eight matches this season yesterday, downing Temple by 7½ to 1½ count at Kenwood. High Markey led the winners with a score of 74, good for a 6-and-5 victory over Temple's Greenway.

Larrow (G) defeated Cardonna, 4 and 3; King (G) defeated Eichelberger, 4 and 2. Best ball—Even.

Smith (T) defeated Ostrosky, 2 and 1; Rita (G) defeated Cummings, 4 and 3. Best ball—Georgetown, 4 and 2.

Markey (G) defeated Greenway, 6 and 5; Ellis (G) defeated Wesolowsky, 4 and 3. Best ball—Georgetown, 4 and 3.

Fordham to Honor Coffey With 'Day'

New York, April 22 (U.P.).—Jack Coffey, baseball coach and graduate manager of athletics at Fordham University, will be honored with a special "day," May 17, the date for the fifty-first annual Ram-New York University baseball game.

Coffey will be presented with a trophy to commemorate his 25 years as Fordham coach by Rev. Robert I. Gannon, S. J., University president.

Coffey first coached baseball at Fordham in 1910 when he was a senior at college. He also has served as graduate manager of athletics for the past 21 years.

Women Netters Play Sunday

Play in the Women's District Tennis League will get under way Sunday with an open round-robin tournament at 2 p. m. at 16th and Kennedy sts. courts.

The tournament will serve the double purpose of tryouts for the eight league teams which will start play Sunday, May 4. In an effort to develop more players, teams this year will consist of four singles and two doubles matches. Last year only three singles matches were held.

All women tennis players in Washington interested in playing in the league are invited to report Sunday. For further information Betty Zimmerman, league secretary, may be contacted at Randolph 5214.

Paris Shifted To City Prison

New York, April 22 (AP).—Alvin J. Paris, convicted of attempted bribery of two professional football players and center of a recent sports fix investigation, has been transferred to city prison from Riker's Island Penitentiary because of threats against his life, prison sources said today.

Correction Commissioner Albert O. Williams declined to comment on the transfer which was effected April 15.

Paris was sentenced April 8 to serve one year in prison for participating in an attempt to bribe Frank Filchock and Merle Hapes.

30 Feet Easier

Is Hank Helped by 'Gardens'?

PITTSBURGH, APRIL 22 (AP). Pittsburgh Pirate baseball fans today were recovered sufficiently from "batter fatigue" to discuss the siege of "Greenberg Gardens" with opinion about evenly divided on this tailor-made home run plot at Forbes Field.

The "Gardens" ostensibly form a bull pen for home and visiting pitchers. The area provided a telescoped target for Hank Greenberg and other right handed sluggers to aim at by shortening the home run distance to left field from 365 to 335 feet.

Fans promptly labelled the fenced-in area stretching 200 feet along the left and left center field wall "Greenberg Gardens" although the big slugger thus far has drilled only one circuit shot into the enclosure.

EIGHT OTHERS, including four Pirates, found the range, however, in a home run barrage last week which has seldom been duplicated in Forbes Field. A total of 11 homers—two out of the park—was struck in four Pirate-Cincinnati Red games.

Thus in four games the homer output here rightly has been one-fourth of the entire 77-game production last year when 47 circuit drives were hit, 24 by Pirates.

Among those now willing to call an armistice in the home-run attack is "Chilly" Doyle, veteran Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph baseball writer, who for years asked that hitters be given a break in spacious Forbes Field.

"THE LEFT-FIELD fence at Forbes Field now is a few feet too short," Chilly wrote.

Died-in-the-wool fan Bill O'Malley expressed the pro side of the argument.

"I'm happy. It's still a healthy wallop and the park is no bandbox," he declared.

Actually, only four of the national league parks have longer distances to left-field fence. These are Boston (337 feet), Brooklyn (356), Chicago (355) and St. Louis (351).

Hursey's Pilot Feud to Be Aired Today

Smuggy Hursey's muddled managerial situation is due for some sort of clearing up today when the District Boxing Commission convenes to air that bickering and also to sanction a May 26 bout between Hursey and Bee Bee Washington at Griffith Stadium.

Hursey and his original manager, Mighty Mel Stevenson, have announced that they will divorce themselves from Henry Armstrong after the May 5 Hursey-Aaron Perry bout. Armstrong, who claims much of the credit for Hursey's phenomenal rise, refuses to be brushed off and will present his claims to part of Hursey's contract to the ring moguls at the session.

Contracts for the Hursey-Washington scrap, a rematch, were presented to the commission last week by Matchmaker Gabe Menendez and approval today will probably be only a formality.

Playing the Game

This is the fourth of a series of articles on inside baseball by Washington's Nats in conjunction with the Walter Johnson memorial program for boys.

By Mark Christman
As told to Shirley Povich

USUALLY the difference between a good shortstop and a great one is the ability to go far to his right for a ground ball and then throw the runner out. That's the longest throw asked of any infielder, and calls for the best throwing arm in the infield, as a rule.

Christman

To the shortstop, the most important man on the field is the second baseman, who plays on the other side of the bag. More teamwork is demanded of the shortstop and second baseman than is actually asked of a pitcher and a catcher. Get to know your second baseman, and his habits on all types of hits, or you'll be a ragged double-play combination.

The best thing a shortstop and second baseman can develop is mutual confidence. Let him know that you are always ready to handle his throws to the bag on force-outs or double plays. And when you're handling the batted ball, let him expect that he's going to get a good throw.

On some ball clubs it's the shortstop who goes into the outfield for relays, on other teams the second baseman. It's determined by which has the better throwing arm, of course. But if the shortstop isn't the relay man on outfield hits, then he has only one other duty—to cover second base. That isn't asking much. Unlike the second baseman, who sometimes covers first, the shortstop has only one bag to cover.

Where a shortstop plays depends on his own ground-covering ability and his knowledge of the hitters. He can see the catcher's signs and in the case of a fast ball he knows a right-handed hitter is not apt to pull it as far to the left as he would a slower curve. For the slow man he can play deeper, of course. For the faster man, the shortstop must shade him a bit.

PERHAPS the toughest play the shortstop has to make except for the long throw while off balance to his right, is the bare-handed pick-up on a slow bounder behind the pitcher. That calls for the snap throw and plenty of practice.

When he is the middle man on a double play, the shortstop's throw is an easier throw than that of the second baseman when he is the pivot man. The shortstop is usually on balance and going toward the play, in contrast to the second baseman who is going away from it. The perfect throw to first base is, of course, chest high.

The valuable shortstop can go far back for a high pop fly that an outfielder can't reach, but the smart shortstop will keep his ears open. This rule is important for an infielder going back: Never take a pop fly that an outfielder says he can reach.

Havre de Grace Charts

TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1947—BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
WEATHER CLEAR. TRACK SLOW.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2500. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won easily; place driving. Went to post at 2:16. Off at once. Winner, Mrs. E. S. Hinsman's ch. h. (4) by Challenger II—Zinita by Hourless. Trained by J. S. Latimer. Value, $1625. Time, 1:14.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PROTECTOR	(Bletzacker)	119	2	2	1½	1½	1½	1½	$3.16
MAGIC STEP	(Boston)	113	5	12	6½	6½	5¹	2nk	18.00
LETTY	(Hickey)	113	6	9	3½	2½	2½	3½	6.20
DON O'SULLIVAN	(West)	113	9	1	8¹	7¹	7½	4¹	4.90
WISE STEP	(Lusby)	113	3	6	4½	5¹	3½	5¹	19.40
DR. JOHNSON	(Howell)	118	1	5	2½	3½	4½	6¹	17.80
BATTLE STAR	(Manley)	116	7	8	12	9½	8¹	7½	79.00
UNRUH	(Spencer)	106	11	7	5½	4nk	6½	8¹	2.40
FOXLER	(Breen)	113	8	7	7nk	10½	9½	9½	45.20
FAIR REWARD	(O'Brien)	113	10	10	11¹	11nk	11¹	10¹	19.70
BEHIND UP	(Beauris)	118	12	11	10¹	12	12	11¹	198.20
SOLAR	(Treptor)	116	4	11	9hd	8nk	10hd	12	29.70

PROTECTOR, $8.20, $5.60, $5.00; MAGIC STEP, $16.80, $13.20; LETTY, $7.20.

PROTECTOR went to front at once, drew far out, was not threatened and won with speed in reserve. MAGIC STEP, off slowly, came to inside to make move and closed boldly along inside rail. LETTY was closest to pace leaving backstretch, was rousted, but weakened in final test. DON O'SULLIVAN was off well, could not keep and closed with good energy. WISE STEP raced evenly to show fair effort. DR. JOHNSON had early speed. UNRUH was through early.

SECOND RACE—One mile and 70 yards. Purse, $2500. For maiden 3-year-olds. Start good for all but WEATHER O. K. Won easily; place driving. Went to post at 2:46. Off at 2:47. Winner, Blue Stone Farm's gr. f. (3) by Chance Play—Some Pep by Stimulus. Trained by W. A. Croll, Jr. Time, 1:48⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ROMPING	(Bauer)	117	3	5	2½	2nk	1²½	1¹	1¹	$16.20
REPRODUCTION	(MacAndrew)	122	5	4	4nk	5¹	5¹	4¹	2nk	9.50
OCEAN FRONT	(Howell)	122	1	1	1¹	1hd	2¹	3¹½	3nk	4.90
GOOD EXAMPLE	(Doncse)	117	4	2	2¹	3¹	2¹	2¹	4¹	.70
ROYAL FOOT	(Boston)	117	7	3	3¹	4¹	4nk	5hd	5¹	6.40
WEATHER O. K.	(Breen)	122	2	7	7	6¹	6¹	6¹	6¹	16.90
SQUIFFIE	(Corcoran)	117	6	6	6¹	7	7	7	7	32.70

ROMPING, $34.40, $13.20, $6.60; REPRODUCTION, $8.60, $4.80; OCEAN FRONT, $3.80.

ROMPING saved ground while within striking distance early, drove through on inside to take command, drew out and won easily. REPRODUCTION, rated in early running, came with a belated rush in stretch. OCEAN FRONT went to front at break, set good pace, but could not stay in final drive. GOOD EXAMPLE moved to outside to get to leaders at far turn, then weakened. ROYAL FOOT showed nothing. WEATHER O. K. was off poorly and had no chance.

Daily Double, PROTECTOR and ROMPING, Paid $151.80

THIRD RACE—Four and one-half furlongs. Purse, $2500. For maiden 2-year-old colts and geldings. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:10½. Off at 3:10½. Winner, Calumet Farm's b. c. (2) by Bull Lea—Hydroplane II by Hyperion. Trained by H. A. Jones. Value, $1625. Time, 0:54⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
CITATION	(Snider)	120	3	3	4¹	4nk	1nk	1nk	$1.60
SUNDAY BEAU	(Hanaman)	120	1	1	1½	2¹	2nk	2nk	3.70
BRASS BAND	(Donase)	120	4	2	2½	3½	3nk	3nk	12.30
REBORN	(West)	115	7	7	5¹	5½	4¹	4¹	22.50
FANGO FANGO	(M. Gonsales)	120	6	8	8¹	8¹	6¹	5¹	6.40
FRENCHTOWN	(Kirkland)	120	9	9	9¹	9¹	8¹	6¹	10.90
DR. MAC	(Jemas)	120	10	6	7½	7½	7¹	7¹	25.00
RAIN EGRET	(Elowell)	120	11	10	10¹	6½	9¹	8¹	25.90
DESPITE	(C. Kirk)	120	8	11	10¹	10¹	10¹	9¹	55.50
OAT FLAKE	(Breen)	120	2	3	3nk	9¹	10hd	10¹	49.00
SON OF RENO	(Ferguson)	115	5	10	11	11	11	11	130.00

CITATION, $5.20, $3.20, $2.80; SUNDAY BEAU, $3.40, $3.00; BRASS BAND, $4.80.

CITATION, steadied early while well placed, saved ground when leaders went out entering stretch and was under vigorous handling at end. SUNDAY BEAU went to front at break, set and forced pace with REBORN, went very wide into stretch and came willingly at close. BRASS BAND, far back early, was taken up sharply when in tight quarters approaching stretch and closed with bold rush. REBORN raced with SUNDAY BEAU, was carried wide by latter and came gamely at end. FANGO FANGO weakened after moving up gamely. RAIN EGRET had early speed.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $3500. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:45. Off at 3:45½. Winner, Christiana Stables' ch. h. (4) by Hellopolis—Lull by Bull Dog. Trained by J. A. Healey. Value, $2275. Time, 1:12⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
JOSHUA	(Lulio)	110	5	1	1¹	1¹	1½	1hd	$1.20
TURNABOUT	(Breen)	113½	3	4	5hd	3¹	2¹	2¹	8.80
FLYSOLATE	(Dodge)	110	6	2	4hd	5¹	3¹	3nk	4.70
INCLINE	(Basile)	115	4	5	6	6	5¹	4¹	6.50
VICTIM	(Spencer)	112	2	6	3¹	4½	4½	5¹	5.30
TEARDROP	(Gray)	116	1	3	2¹	2½	6	6	8.20

JOSHUA, $4.40, $3.00, $2.20; TURNABOUT, $6.00, $3.60; FLYSOLATE, $3.20.

JOSHUA went to front at once, drew out, had to be roused when challenged by TURNABOUT and drifted out through stretch. TURNABOUT moved up boldly approaching stretch, but was bothered by winner through stretch run. FLYSOLATE could not keep up early and rallied mildly. INCLINE lacked early speed and came wide into stretch. VICTIM weakened gradually. TEARDROP displayed early speed and stopped.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $4000; the Foxcroke. For 4-year-olds up (grade D). Start good. Won easily; place driving. Went to post at 4:17. Off at 4:18. Winner, Ogilvie Farm's blk. h. (6) by War Admiral—Baby's Breath by Sickle. Trained by C. W. Shaw, Jr. Value, $2800. Time, 1:11⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
BLACK GANG	(Snider)	114	8	1	1½	1½	1nk	1¹	$1.10
NEDDIECAN	(Jemas)	121	1	3	2½	2¹	3¹	3¹½	8.80
SHAKO	(Lulio)	116	3	6	5¹½	4¹	3¹½	3¹	5.00
DAWN ATTACK	(Kirkland)	108	6	2	3nk	3½	4¹	4hd	4.70
FLEBISCITE	(Breen)	113½	3	4	4¹	5¹	5¹	5¹	7.10
SOLDIER SONG	(MacAndrew)	115	4	5	6	6	6	6	11.90

BLACK GANG, $4.20, $2.80, $2.20; NEDDIECAN, $5.40, $3.40; SHAKO, $2.80.

BLACK GANG went to front at once, withstood challenges of NEDDIECAN and drew out in final test to win easily. NEDDIECAN saved ground, moved up menacingly and hung in final drive. SHAKO, off poorly, was rated early, came wide into stretch, then hung. DAWN ATTACK was forward factor while on outside early and tired gradually. FLEBISCITE had early speed and faltered. SOLDIER SONG was outrun.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $4500; the Leonardtown. For 4-year-old up; fillies and mares. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:46. Off at 4:47. Winner, Calumet Farm's b. m. (5) by Bull Lea—Two Bob by The Porter. Trained by H. A. Jones. Value, $2925. Time, 1:12⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Straight
TWOSY	(Snider)	121	2	7	6hd	6½	3nk	1½	1¹	†$1.00
MAUD LEA	(Spencer)	101½	3	6	1hd	1hd	1¹	2½	2nk	5
NOMADIC	(Kirkland)	108	7	1	5¹	7	7	5½	3½	4.70
TONY'S FIND	(Lulio)	104	1	4	4½	4½	1hd	4¹½	4¹	4.90
EAST	(Jemas)	115	6	3	3½	3½	6nk	6¹	5½	20.80
GRILLETTE	(C. Kirk)	113	5	5	7	5hd	5hd	6hd	6½	4.90
ARIEL SONG	(Padgett)	113	4	2	2¹	2½	7	7	7	10.30

†Calumet Farm entry.

TWOSY, $4.00, $3.00, $2.40; MAUD LEA, $3.00, $2.40; NOMADIC, $4.00.

TWOSY, away slowly and allowed to settle into stride, came to inside turning for home and closed with bold rush to win going away. MAUD LEA set and forced pace with ARIEL SONG and held on gamely in final drive. NOMADIC, off slightly, lacked early speed, rallied when shaken up and closed willingly. TONY'S FIND rallied to take brief lead in stretch, then weakened. EAST had speed in spots. GRILLETTE moved up boldly, then tired. ARIEL SONG was used up racing forwardly early and stopped.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $2500. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won ridden out; place same. Went to post at 5:15. Off at 5:16. Winner, Mrs. H. Young's b. h. (11) by Saxon—Paula L. by Pennant. Trained by H. Young. Value, $1625. Time, 1:58⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
SAXONIAN	(Snider)	116	8	8	8	6½	3½	5²	1nk	$0.70
RUNNING RIOT	(Spencer)	106	7	7	5¹	4½	6³	4½	2¹	17.00
GAY VENTURE	(Kelly)	116	6	5	3nk	2½	5½	2nk	3¹	9.80
BASS FIDDLE	(Mann)	122	2	4	1½	1½	1½	1hd	4nk	5.20
CHARMING HERO	(Manley)	111	4	6	7³	5¹	2¹	2½	5¹	18.40
DECISIVE	(O'Brien)	111	3	1	6½	8	7¹	6½	6¹½	11.30
INA BELLE	(Lewis)	106	1	3	2½	3hd	4nk	7¹	7¹	62.10
SCOTCH FLAG	(Demar)	111	5	2	4¹	7nk	8	8	8	11.30

SAXONIAN, $3.40, $2.80, $2.40; RUNNING RIOT, $8.60, $5.60; GAY VENTURE, $5.20.

SAXONIAN, allowed to settle into best stride, moved up boldly approaching stretch, went wide, but recovered and was ridden out. RUNNING RIOT, on outside and forwardly placed early, responded to drive and closed willingly. GAY VENTURE saved ground, took lead between calls, could not resist other two. BASS FIDDLE set pace and weakened in closing test. CHARMING HERO went to leaders boldly, then weakened. DECISIVE could not threaten. INA BELLE had speed for half and quit. SCOTCH FLAG was through early.

EIGHTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards. Purse, $3000. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 5:45. Off at 5:45½. Winner, D. E. Goldstrom's b. m. (7) by Case Ace—Mae Stilling by Pompey. Trained by J. S. Latimer. Value, $1950. Time, 1:45⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Straight
†CAPE COD	(Breen)	112½	6	2	1¹	1²	1½	1hd	1hd	$2.60
MAE CASE	(Kirkland)	111	3	1	2¹	3hd	2¹	2½	2¹	3.20
ONE ONLY	(Lulio)	104	4	6	8¹	8¹	7¹	6½	3nk	9.10
MISTER CHAT	(Basile)	119	5	5	5¹	4¹	3¹	3¹½	4½	6.60
DIVA	(Kelly)	110½	8	8	7¹	7¹	4¹	4½	5¹	17.10
FOR GRANTED	(Spencer)	105	3	7	6½	5½	5¹	5½	6¹	8.80
ARDEN LAD	(Jemas)	115	1	3	3hd	2¹	6¹	7½	7²	11.70
STINGFIRE	(Hanaman)	113	9	9	9	9	9	8	8²	17.50
GAY TOWN	(Haskell)	113	7	4	4½	6½	8¹	9¹	9	17.50

†Won, but was disqualified and placed second.

MAE CASE, $6.40, $3.60, $3.00; CAPE COD, $4.60, $3.40; ONE ONLY, $5.00.

CAPE COD went to front early, set good pace, drifted out through stretch and closed with good energy. CAPE COD was disqualified for foul. MAE CASE was steadied while closest to pace, moved up abreast of leader entering stretch, was bothered by winner and Brem's whip and Kirkland could not do her justice. ONE ONLY was allowed to race on own courage early and closed with a belated rush. MISTER CHAT moved up gamely, then weakened. DIVA moved up stretch, then hung. FOR GRANTED flattened out under pressure in late stages.

Grid Prexy Dies

Toronto, April 22 (AP).—Thomas Holland, 67, president of the Dominion Football Association, died today. He was the first president of the Toronto and District Football Association and served as head of the local association for all but six years since 1919.

Al Snider Rides Four Winners at Havre de Grace

Boosts Total For Seasan To Eleven

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

Havre de Grace, Md., April 22.—Jockey Al Snider rode four winners in as many tries on a chilly Tuesday racing program today. He brought his total for the meeting to 11 and just sewed up the race for riding honors.

Two of his victories came while wearing the silks of the famous Calumet Farm and both winners were sons of Bull Lee, the sire purchased as a yearling for a mere $14,000.

Snider started his parade in the third race, scoring with Citation in a test for 2-year-olds. This colt paid a $5.20 mutuel. In the fifth, he was aboard Cedar Farm's Black Gang, a $4.20 shot.

Twosy Rallies to Win

The sixth was the day's feature and he piloted Calumet's Twosy from last position to be first, a going-away winner in front of Maud Lea, the other half of the entry, which paid $4. Snider made his final appearance in the seventh and got up with Mrs. H. Young's Saxonian in time to win by a neck. Saxonian returned $3.40.

It was in the Leonardtown Purse, featuring the program that Twosy, a campaigner during the winter and Maud Lea, making her first start of 1947, ran one two. The pair closed a half length apart. A neck farther back came Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Nomadic to be third in the field of seven fillies and mares.

Wins Going Away

Twosy, carrying top weight of the party, 121 pounds, came from last position to win going away. Maud Lea had set virtually all the pace and held on gamely. Nomadic came from last to be a flying third. Ariel Song, East and Grillette did a share of the forward running early. Tony's Find moved to the front briefly in the stretch but in the final test it was all Calumet.

Twosy was clocked in 1:12 2/5 over a track designated good after drying steadily during the afternoon.

Maryland Park Edges St. Alban's Nine, 4 to 3

A three-run St. Albans rally in the last half of the seventh inning fell one run short yesterday as Maryland Park defeated the Saints, 4-3, at St. Albans.

St. Albans Pitcher Johnny Hart was responsible for all his team's runs with his seventh inning triple with the bases loaded. Ed Junta's double with two on in the first, and Buddy Morris' two-bagger with two on in the sixth drove in all of Maryland Park's runs.

Maryland Park	100	002	0—3	5	2
St. Albans	000	000	3—3	4	4

Gray, Miles (7) and Morris; Hart and Barta.

St. Anthony's Whips Sherwood High, 15-1

St. Anthony's baseballers backed up the four-hit pitching of Ray Liccini with a 14-hit attack to defeat Sherwood High, 15-1, yesterday at Sandy Springs, Md.

Johnny Colbert collected a home run and two singles to lead St. Anthony's to its second straight triumph.

St. Anthony's	117	330	6—15	14	3
Sherwood	000	000	1— 1	4	4

Liccini and Colbert; Campbell and Torbeck, Hobbs (3).

Phalanx Off to Derby

New York, April 22 (AP).—Phalanx, owned by C. V. Whitney and currently the 2-to-1 favorite in the Kentucky Derby, was shipped to Louisville today for the May 3 run for the roses.

Keeneland

1—⅝; $1500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Sir Jimmy	118	Half Life	119
Rockwood Boy	118	Red Spirit	113
Sporting	113	Gold Decision	115
Prom Date	105	Mistletoe	113
Kitty Gray	113	Knight's Quest II	118
Insolate	113	Repeat	105
Good Hunting	115	Brown Valley	110
Kimberley Gold	115	Keep Me	115
Galloping Sun	115	Big Soldier	115
Pug	115		

2—4 fur.; $2000; 2-year-old colts and gld.

Dusky Tiger	116	We Hope	116
Hal Val	116	†Pine Bloom	116
Washburn	116	†Dole	116

†H. P. Headley entry.

3—1 ⅛; $2500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

South Dakota	109	Victor	109
Diavolo Man	111	Uncle Mac	120
Big Head	114		

4—⅝; $1500; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Donna Sue	108	K. Cookie	113
Princess Elisa	112	Aguilucho	118
James Mc	120	Ermelia	112
Mighty Blow	120	Plucky Belle	112
Disbet	112		

5—⅝; $2500; 3-year-olds; allowances.

Ginny's Pride	104	Dunkerque	117
Junior Wolf	114	Dusty Roads	114
†Hipparete	112	Star Reward	117
†Check Please	115	Lazy Shoes	114
Sweet Taters	114	Portell	114
Brownian	109		

†H. P. Headley entry.

6—4 fur.; $10,000 added; 2-year-olds.

Tree Town	117	Floral Trail	114
Scipio	117	†Thar Mon	122
†Penniless	111	†Pelt	111
John's Ace	117	†Tiger Flash	117

†H. P. Headley entry.
‡Mr. and Mrs. William Veeneman entry.

7—1 ⅛; $2500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

Miss America	109	Pilate's Miss	109
Sugar Boot	112	Big Brother	114
Kendor	117	Camp's First	112
Plover Brand	109		

8—1 ⅛; $1750; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Lenabert	111	Vinita General	107
Up Front	110	Bud's First	106
Watch Chilla	116	Ask Me	116
Day Acre	111	Hot Days	111

1—⅝; $1750; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Tango Winner	116	(Eufelt)	12.60	5.80	4.00
Alsan	112	(Dodson)		8.20	4.80
Languid Lad	112	(Campbell)			4.80

Bridge Town, Rose Light, Marvins Tip, Mildred Y., Lucky Run, Valley Trouble, Dixran also ran. Time, 0:47⅘.

2—⅝; $2000; claiming; 3-year-olds.

Far Greater	109	(Knott)	17.00	8.60	5.20
Spring Fields	112	(Brooks)		4.60	3.20
Chinalase	114	(Craig)			4.60

Little Sting, Atomic Energy, Dare Go, Lady Seaton also ran. Time, 1:14⅘.

3—1½; $2000; 3-year-old maidens.

Lorlei	116	(Butterfield)		4.60	2.60
Sun Tavy	116	(Brooks)		5.40	3.80
Yezne	116	(Dodson)			3.20

†Ayran, Tigerlia, †Kissy, Miss Hayride, Play Again, Sea Ballad also ran. Time, 0:47.

†Maidal Ranch entry.

4—⅝; $2000; 3-year-old maidens.

Maidtown	116	(Brooks)	46.60	12.00	4.60
†Peters	112	(Dodson)		3.60	2.40
Happy Blended	116	(Butterfield)			2.20

Benards, Kindly Miss, Bub's Folly, Piandas First, †Antigone, Theresa Canale, †Be Like Polly, †Snappy Package also ran. Time, 1:13⅘.

†H. P. Headley entry.
*Field.

5—1 ⅛ mi.; $3000; 3-year-olds up.

Seneca	110	(Featherston	12.00	4.60	2.60
Say Blue	110	(Bedlee)		3.60	2.20
Jesta T.	110	(Hanna)			2.40

Vienna Waltz, So Proudly also ran. Time, 1:48⅘.

6—1 ⅛ mi.; $1750; claiming; 4-year-olds up.

Grenadark	115	(Johnston)	7.00	4.40	3.20
Rich Uncle	112	(Race)		10.80	4.80
Malemute	118	(Bedlee)			2.60

War Ripple, Wee Wee Marie, Cosmore, Iron Barge, Troopship, Kentucky Day also ran. Time, 1:49.

7—⅝; $1800; claiming; 3-year-olds up.

Lucky R.	117	(Campbell)	19.40	7.20	6.00
Noonday Sun	120	(Kasper)		8.80	4.60
Wonder Who	110	(Featherston)			5.60

Expositions, Count Parsy, Paper Clip, Real Sweet, Adonor, Campanula, Dunsack also ran. Time, 1:15⅘.

Bennings

At Havre de Grace.

Dear Folks:

Apprentice Tommy Spencer, who has won four races so far at this meeting and thus is one of the boys tied for second position in the jockeys' race, has a new contract employer. Art-Dale Stable, owned by Mrs. George Smith of Newark, N. J., has purchased Spencer's contract from Vernon Goodrich for a sizable sum and the youngster will hereafter be with Trainer Claude Feltner, who has the Art-Dale Stable string. Spencer is a native of Raton, N. Mex., and is 17 years old. He started his career in racing around "e half-milers in Oklahoma and Kansas with Goodrich and broke his maiden last July 18 at Fairmount Park on a horse named Rebbina for W. T. Beasley. Since then he has ridden some 60 winners. The youngster rode during the winter at the Fair Grounds in New Orleans, then came on to Bowie this spring and has been in action here ever since the meeting began. His father and mother still live in Raton, where he has three brothers and two sisters, all younger than he is. Spencer does 102 pounds and has made a good impression on horsemen in this area. He says his grandfather was a rider, a way back, but no others in his family are in the racing game. . . . BILL.

1—Reflex Arc, Papete, Frozen Custard.

2—Player Lee, Fall Guy, Image of Love.

3—Stanley, Woofie, Lictor.

4—Brandy Punch, Citation, Saggy.

5—Waterproof, Little Harp, Regained.

6—Lord Calvert, Hammer-Lock, Cat Bridge.

7—Sightseer, Merry Elgin, Red Torch.

8—Mason-Dixon, Religious, Love Shoot.

Best bet—BRANDY PUNCH.

Homestead Grays Play Here Sunday

The Washington Homestead Grays make their 1947 baseball debut at Griffith Stadium Sunday when they entertain the New York Black Yankees in two exhibition games.

Pacing the Grays will be a rookie, Lucius Easter, a long distance hitter from St. Louis. Easter, playing for the independent Cincinnati Crescents last season, blasted 51 home runs. Returning to the Grays' mound staff will be Johnny Wright, who hurled briefly in the Brooklyn Dodger farm chain.

Havre de Grace

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2500; for maidens 3-year-olds.

No.	Horse and Jockey	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Frozen Custard (C. Kirk)	122	4-1
2	Lady Barrel (F. Dodge)	113	8-1
3	Swing Time (W. Mann)	117	3-1
4	Lenarnia (R. Hacker)	117	15-1
5	Radiantil (no boy)	122	15-1
6	Magic Lily (no boy)	117	30-1
7	All Quiet (A. Gray)	117	3-1
8	Tryout (no boy)	117	20-1
9	Rather Air (R. Howell)	122	6-1
10	Moocon (F. O'Brien)	117	15-1
11	†Decagon (C. Kirk)	122	4-1
12	Farfallina (no boy)	117	10-1
13	Pastle (no boy)	117	10-1
14	Papete (M. E. Gonzales)	117	3-1
15	†Kensington Gal (no boy)	117	4-1
16	Stolen Melody (D. MacAndrew)	117	15-1

†Cohen and Jones entry.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2500; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1	Image of Love (no boy)	112	4-1
2	Abe's Hank (no boy)	109	12-1
3	Knight's Hurry (T. Spencer)	109	30-1
4	Full Guy (J. Breen)	116	4-1
5	Sweet Money (no boy)	104	15-1
6	Play Foot (D. Boston)	114	3-1
7	Draw One (D. West)	114	3-1
8	†Smooth Hand (no boy)	111	20-1
9	Sweet Hash (F. Keenan)	111	12-1
10	Over the Hill (E. J. Fayard)	111	15-1
11	Player Lee (F. Dodge)	107	4-1
12	Investigate (no boy)	109	8-1
13	Brest (no boy)	104	20-1
14	Trout Lake (C. Cardona)	109	30-1
15	Ironic (no boy)	119	8-1
16	Discarding Rye (no boy)	108	15-1

†Chamblin and Paul entry.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $3000; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Insider (D. Boston)	110	12-1
2	Tagel (M. Bletzacker)	117	6-1
3	Diablana (L. Manaman)	110	8-1
4	Woods (no boy)	110	6-1
5	Big Teddy (R. Bauer)	113	4-1
6	Ideal Gift (W. Demar)	119	5-2
7	Count Ace (no boy)	115	15-1
8	†Stanley (C. Kirk)	115	6-1
9	Miss Rhoda (D. Boston)	105	15-1
10	Nora Bells (A. Schmidl)	112	4-1
11	Rough Feathers (no boy)	115	8-1
12	Fraught (C. Kirk)	115	4-1
13	Talasea (R. Hacker)	108	15-1
14	†Hush Hush (no boy)	110	8-1
15	Lictor (R. Howell)	115	20-1
16	Page II (T. Spencer)	114	6-1

†Cohen and Martin entry.

FOURTH RACE—Four and one half furlongs; the Aberdeen Stakes; purse, $3000 added; for 2-year-olds.

1	Brown Fox (J. Ondrato)	114	20-1
2	Kashmir (L. Knapp)	114	12-1
3	Citation (A. Snider)	114	3-1
4	Saggy (A. Gray)	117	8-2
5	Gunner (no boy)	114	10-1
6	Brandy Punch (C. Kirk)	122	8-5
7	Equibit (N. Jemas)	117	12-1

FIFTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards; purse, $3500; allowances; for 3-year-olds.

1	†Desert Ruler (no boy)	117	8-1
2	Mobleio (no boy)	110	15-1
3	Waterproof (no boy)	114	5-2
4	†Mr. Pleat (no boy)	114	8-1
5	Coral Star (D. Padgett)	108	30-1
6	Balanced (A. Snider)	116	3-1
7	Little Harp (no boy)	114	8-1
8	Loyal Legion (no boy)	119	3-1
9	†Regained (W. Demar)	114	3-1

†Mrs. H. G. Bell entry.
‡Botanist Stable entry.

SIXTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards; purse, $4000; allowances; class D; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1	Flying Weather (no boy)	107	8-1
2	Chancegain (A. Kirkland)	113	6-1
3	Amanecer (no boy)	113	8-5
4	Hammer-Lock (F. Dodge)	116	4-1
5	Mirador (J. Breen)	116	4-1
6	Lord Calvert (C. Kirk)	113	4-1
7	American Wolf (J. Ondrato)	118	6-1
8	Cat Bridge (no boy)	124	2-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one eighth miles; purse, $2500; claiming; for 4-year

THE DISTRICT LINE

by W.E.G.

DIARY

On April 8 we carried the story of the Ward Donahoes, who had to give up their quarters at Walter Reed, and couldn't find another place to live. Mrs. Donahoe sends the following excerpts from her diary:

April 10: Our moving deadline has been changed to tomorrow. Still nothing from our ads, but we did get a call from Mr. Baxter, a realtor, who saw the item in the District Line. He was genuinely interested in our plight and offered a house that will be vacant June 1.

Mrs. Donahoe

Where do we go meantime? This afternoon the doctor ordered me to the hospital for an operation. Looks as if Wade will have to sell or store the furniture and take Karen and Patsel to my parents' home in West Virginia.

April 11: Mr. Baxter persuaded a friend of his to allow us to move into an almost completed apartment in his personal residence. In the confusion of moving, Patsel got out of the house, crossed Georgia ave. alone, and was fortunately picked up by the police.

April 12: I am released from the hospital and won't need an operation after all.

April 20: Things are settling down to normal again. But, much to my embarrassment, we haven't had a chance to thank the District Liners yet.

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SCOTCHING A RUMOR

Thousands of Washingtonians are saving the red tapes which are supplied on some cigarette packages to help you open the cellophane.

Dozens of District Liners have written in to explain that they save the tapes "to help blind people get free seeing eye dogs from the tobacco companies."

In each case the writer tells a similar story. "A friend of mine knows a blind girl who got a dog that way, and now we're trying to help another blind person."

I have spent more than a week checking each report sent to me. In no instance was I able to find anybody who actually knew of such redemption of the tapes, or of the awarding of a dog for them.

The "friend" always refers the investigator to another friend, and the "other friend" always sends you along to still another friend.

In several business establishments, the whole office force saves the tapes—but nobody actually knows why.

Beatrice Peirano of 1800 North Quantico st., Arlington, Va., forwards conclusive proof that the rumor is false. It's a letter from The Seeing Eye, Inc., of Morristown, N. J. The letter says in part:

"There is absolutely no truth to this rumor, and the various cigarette companies have taken diligent measures to dispel it whenever it has been called to their attention."

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LANGUAGE BUTCHERY

R. H. Wesley, of 2117 North Glebe rd., Arlington, Va., says our recent item about misplaced modifiers calls to his mind the old classic:

FOR SALE—Grand piano by a woman with mahogany legs.

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MISCELLANY

"Stuff," the duck which was kidnapped the other day, has been found—dead. Wanton murder, I calls it—he wasn't even eaten. . . . Senator Martin of Pennsylvania collects Currier & Ives prints of our Presidents, and has a complete set except for Millard Fillmore. He wonders if any of you District Liners have such a print tucked away in your attic. . . . Betty Hendricks clips a fashion picture showing models garbed in those ridiculous long dresses and writes: "Let the models wear them—we ain't gonna." . . . La Veta Smith of 407 R st. nw. is the latest recruit to join our Lizzy Stone League to fight the new styles. . . . When the juke boxes start grinding out "What Am I Doing Here?" next week, you ought to know that it's by Sammy Marks, a local lad whose band is now appearing in the Roosevelt Victory Room. (I got the item from his bass fiddle player, who is a taxi jockey in the daytime.) . . . The Washington Animal Rescue League invites me to its annual meeting at the end of this month. To be rescued?

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BRIEF PAUSE FOR NETWORK IDENTIFICATION

We will now observe 25 seconds of silence while The District Line expresses its opinion of the National Broadcasting Co. for gagging Fred Allen.

Grin and Bear It

"Cute rascals, aren't they, Dear?—Seems a pity they have to grow up!"

Life's Darkest Moment

DON'T YOU REMEMBER ME? I'M MRS. SIMPSON. WE'RE NEXT DOOR NEIGHBORS.
OH, I SEE!
THE UPSTART WHO WON AN ELECTRIC TOASTER ON A QUIZ PROGRAM HAS THE TEMERITY TO SPEAK TO A WOMAN WHO HAS GIVEN A REFRIGERATOR AND A WASHING MACHINE FOR CORRECTLY GUESSING THAT WASHINGTON D.C. IS THE CAPITAL OF THE U.S.

The Bridge Deck

By Florence Osborn

Clever defense succeeds in winning today's hand.

West opened the king of spades, followed with the spade queen. Declarer trumped, and after pulling trumps, he gave up two diamonds and a heart to lose four tricks altogether.

East-West were also outbid by their North-South adversaries, who also chose a five club save. But this time one partner set up a ruffing trick for the other to pick up one more trick, setting the contract three tricks, doubled, for 500 points.

When the latter partner opened the king of spades, the first partner overtook it with the ace. He had placed South with a singleton spade on the bidding and probably three diamonds so he wished to avoid a spade continuation in favor of attempting to give his partner a diamond ruff. He next cashed the ace and king of diamonds and receiving high-low from West, continued a third diamond for his wife to ruff. This set South three tricks, with a spade, two diamonds, a diamond ruff and a heart.

West will make game at spades and one over, losing one club and one heart trick. If North leads the king of clubs and then shifts to a low heart in an effort to confuse declarer, West must be sure to finesse the jack.

If he goes up with the heart king, playing North for the ace, and planning to steal this trick and set up the diamonds for two heart discards, he will go down. South will take the king of hearts with the ace, return a heart to his partner's queen and a heart ruff with South's singleton trump will complete the defeat. West will lose a club, two hearts and a ruff for down one.

Today's Hand

East-West Vulnerable

NORTH DEALER

MALOWAN
♠ 9 4 3
♡ Q 6 4 3
◇ Q J 2
♣ A K 3

WEST: ♠ K Q J 8 7 2 ♡ 10 9 5 2 ◇ 9 3 ♣ Q

NORTH: ♠ A 10 6 ♡ K J 8 ◇ A K 8 6 5 ♣ 8 6

EAST

SOUTH: ♣ J

WAINWRIGHT
♠ 5
♡ A 7
◇ 10 7 4
♣ J 10 9 7 5 4 3

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 NT	Dble	4 ♣	4 ♠
5 ♣	Dble	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: K ♠.

Daily Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Removes gown
9 Blows loudly
15 Lap over one another
16 Affirm
17 Resembling a star
18 Speed
19 Intermittent
20 Marshes
21 Hotels
22 Puzzle
25 River: Sp.
26 Revise
27 Earth goddess
28 Black and sticky
29 Whistles
31 Not so much
33 Paradisaic
35 Fruit
40 One who regrets
43 Smell
44 Dance step
47 Water bubble
49 Algerian city
50 High mountain
51 Explores
53 Eat
54 Backbone
56 Pertaining to a continent
58 Mute
60 Ease
61 Entwine
62 Ameliorates
63 Sat
64 Type of grape

DOWN

1 To rend into pieces: rare
2 Expected
3 Sir . . . of a smile
4 Head again
5 Flat plinth
6 Reckless fellow
7 Consuming
8 Extra
9 Exclamation of contempt
10 South American animal
11 Too
12 Sharp reply
13 Fountain nymph
14 Seasory
23 To the right
24 Corn meal
30 Title of respect
32 Spring
34 Third power
36 Extravagant
37 To clothe in mail
38 Radiates
39 Soundness
41 Cloth measure
42 Brings up to date
44 Football player
45 Lofty
46 Upsets
48 Defeat with mud
51 Move nimbly
52 Long seat: var.
55 Tidy
57 "Lorna Doone" hero
59 Spread to dry

Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle

A	A	R	U		S	H	U	N	T		P	A	P	A
C	H	A	N		T	E	D	O	R		A	V	O	L
R	E	G	E	N	E	R	A	T	E		R	O	L	E
E	M	E	R	A	L	D	S		L	L	A	N	O	S
			R	O	E		G	L	A	P				
B	A	S	I	S		P	E	R	I	M	E	T	E	R
O	R	A	N		R	E	P	O	S	E		A	R	U
R	I	N	G		E	L	O	P	E		T	R	A	P
A	S	E		S	P	A	D	E	D		M	O	T	E
H	E	R	I	T	A	G	E	S		S	P	O	O	R
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L	A	V	A		I	N	C	E	N	T	I	V	E	S
O	M	I	T		N	O	T	E	S		T	E	N	T
W	A	D	E		G	R	A	D	E		E	R	S	E

STEVE CANYON
WELL, CANYON, YOU ARE MORE MAGNANIMOUS TOWARD ME THAN I EXPECTED... I'M SORRY OUR CHARTER CONTRACT CAN'T BE FULFILLED...
OH, WE'LL CONNECT WITH ANOTHER DEAL, MISS CALHOON... AS LONG AS WE CAN KEEP UP PAYMENTS ON THE AIRPLANE...
I WAS NOT DOPED ALL THE TIME ON THAT RIDE HOME! WHO WERE THE FAKE DOCTOR AND NURSE?
I FLUBBED THAT ONE!... THEIR ENTRY PAPERS TURNED OUT TO BE IN ORDER... AND I HAVEN'T YET CHECKED WITH THE IMMIGRATION PEOPLE...
DON'T BOTHER... THEIR PASSPORTS WERE FORGED—BUT THE GIRL'S NAME IS 'DELTA'! WHEN YOU LOOK HER UP, COMPLIMENT HER FOR ME ON HAVING MORE FEMALE HORSE-SENSE THAN COPPER CALHOON...
MEANWHILE...
DELTA! BIG RED IS SO GLAD TO SEE YOU!.. EVEN BULLET-HOLE-PETE SEEMS ALMOST HAPPY TO BE HOME!
WELL, THERE'S DELTA! WHAT'S YOUR FIRST IMPRESSION, GENTS?
NEAT! PRETTY!
THEY COME LIKE THAT WHOLESALE! LET'S HEAR HER CHIRP!
JOE PALOOKA
ANN BOARDS A TRAIN AT RAWHIDE HEADING NORTH..
RAWHIDE
YOUNG COWBOY, EH... H'LO, BRONCO... HOW'S BRONC BUSTER... HAW HAW... BILLY TH' KID... WHERE'S YER GUNS?
HAVE A SHORT I SAID... I'M CELEBRATIN'... C'MON, TAKE A DRINK!
PLEASE... I DON'T DRINK.
AW, LET 'IM ALONE... HE AIN'T BOTHRIN' YOU. HE'S ONLY A YOUNG KID!
MICKEY FINN
HOW IS PHIL TAKING HIS DEFEAT, MICKEY?
OKAY, SERGEANT—BUT HE SURE IS SORE OVER A NASTY CRACK THAT DOOLEY MADE AT THE MEETING!
WHAT KIND OF A CRACK?
DOOLEY HINTED THAT THE REASON UNCLE PHIL COULD AFFORD TO PAY HIS OWN EXPENSES TO THE CONVENTION WAS BECAUSE HE'S BEEN TAKING GRAFT—AS SHERIFF!
HMM! THAT WAS PRETTY LOW OF DOOLEY! PHIL MAY HAVE HIS FAULTS, BUT AT LEAST HE'S HONEST!
WELL, UNCLE PHIL SAYS HE'LL GET SQUARE WITH HIM FOR SAYIN' IT—IF IT'S THE LAST THING HE EVER DOES!
SURE, PHIL—MRS. McFUZZEY COMES IN FOR SOMETHING NEARLY EVERY DAY!
GOOD! NOW LISTEN, COVINO—I WANT YOU TO DO ME A FAVOR!
FRUITS AND GROCERIES
PENNY
OUCH, MY FOOT. OH, I MEAN OOPS, I'M SORRY, ELMO. HUMPH!
I GUESS I'M CLUMSY TONIGHT, ELMO. I... AH, SHOULDN'T HAVE MY FEET WHERE YOU'LL STEP ON THEM.
SNORT.
YOU'RE DEFINITELY A RHYTHM ROCKER, ELMO, A POSITIVE SKY WALKER.
SORRY I CAN'T RETURN THE COMPLIMENT.
OH, BUT YOU DEFINITELY COULD, ELMO, IF YOU WERE AS UTTERLY CARELESS WITH THE TRUTH AS I AM!
MARY WORTH
IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU ROLLED IN, BRICK!... HERB ASHLEY'S LOOKING FOR YOU!.. HE'S BEEN POPPING IN AND OUT OF THAT DOOR LIKE A CUCKOO BIRD!
SOUNDS LIKE A CRISIS, CHERI!... MAYBE I SHOULDA STOOD IN BED!
MANAGER WBIX
MORNING, HERB! WHAT'S ON THAT SET OF BUSINESS CHARTS YOU CALL A MIND...?
COME IN, BRICK! ..AND SIT DOWN!
I HAVE A MEMO HERE FROM AN ADVERTISING AGENCY, BRICK! ... FROM H-K-BARON, PRESIDENT OF BABEL, BRAGGERT, BANTER, BARON, CLINCHER & LACKEY, INC!
I KNOW I SHOULD GET DOWN AND BUMP MY FOREHEAD ON THE BROADLOOM.. BUT FOR THE SAKE OF MY NEW NYLONS, CAN'T I JUST SIT HERE LOOKING AWED AND REVERENT?
WINNIE WINKLE
WHAT IS FATHER DOING, PERRY? YOU SEEM TO KNOW!!
YEAH, BUT I PROMISED NOT TO TELL!
AH-HA!! THEN HE IS DOIN' SOMETHIN' WICKED!!
NAAAH! ALL I CAN SAY IS, IT HAS SOMETHIN' TO DO WITH TH' FIRE COMP'NY!
THE FIRE COMPANY? FATHER PLAYS A LOT OF PINOCHLE OVER THERE!
WELL, THEY'RE GONNA HAVE A TOURNAMENT BETWEEN TH' OSWEGATCHIE, QUAKER HILL, JORDAN AN' NIANTIC FIRE COMP'NIES!
WELL—I NEVER HEARD OF A MAN'S BACK ACHIN' SO HE HAS TO USE LINIMENT—TO PLAY PINOCHLE!
SUPERMAN
WHAT'S THIS? BIG JIM'S FACE STAMPED OUT WITH CHALK! WHY—THIS LOOKS LIKE NICKY'S ART WORK—HE MUST HAVE DRAWN IT ON THE TIRE OF THE GETAWAY CAR TO GIVE ME A TRAIL!
THE CHALK TRAIL FADES AT THIS POINT, BUT MY X-RAY VISION BRINGS IT OUT CLEARLY ENOUGH. IF ONLY I CAN CATCH THOSE MURDERING FIENDS IN TIME!
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MEANWHILE
THIS IS CURTAINS, BRAT. YOU WON'T DO NO TALKIN' TO SUPERMAN, NOW!
DOTTY
WHERE'S MY TOOL KIT?!!
WHY, I HAVEN'T TOUCHED IT, HORACE!
I'VE LOOKED EVERYWHERE—WHY DON'T PEOPLE LEAVE MY STUFF ALONE?!!!
WELL, IF IT'LL HELP YOU ANY, YOU MAY USE MY SET OF TOOLS—
HUH?
NOW, WHAT CAN I DO WITH A NAIL-FILE, BOBBY PIN, MANICURING SCISSORS, AND TWEEZERS?!!!
BURRD TUNE

TERRY AND THE PIRATES

SO BEING SWITCHED ON HER CHARM AND INVITED YOU TO WALK INTO HER PARLOR— I TRUST YOU'RE KEEPING YOUR DATE WITH A SET OF HANDCUFFS HANDY.
NOT YET— FIRST, IT WILL BE INTERESTING TO FIND OUT WHAT THIS DOLL IS COOKING UP...
AS A MATTER OF FACT— IT SHOULD BE FOR TOO.
...AND IN EDMUND'S APARTMENT...
...SO THEN I INVITED THE COMMANDANT OF POLICE TO CALL ON ME HERE, TONIGHT. I WILL BE QUITE ALLURING... UNLESS HE'S MADE OF STONE, WE WILL NOT ONLY KNOW IF THE POLICE ARE AWARE OF OUR ACTIVITIES, BUT WE MIGHT EVEN BE ABLE TO CONTROL THEM.
YOU'VE BEEN RECKLESS, MY DEAR. IT WOULD HAVE BEEN SAFER TO DEAL WITH THE PILOT, LEE. RYAN IS OLDER— AND WISER.
YOU UNDERESTIMATE ME, THEODORE. THE COMMANDANT IS ONLY A MAN.

WAHOO AND STEVE ROPER

GO ON, SONNY! TAKE HIM APART! TIE HIS ARMS AROUND HIS NECK LIKE A MUFFLER!
KEEP OUT OF THIS, PLEASE, MISS KARSON! STEVE!--- I DON'T BLAME YOU FOR BEING DOWN ON ME---!
BUT THINGS AREN'T ALWAYS AS THEY LOOK! I'M STILL CRAZY ABOUT CUPCAKE!--I'D RATHER DIE THAN HURT HER!
IT COULD KILL HER-- IF SHE EVER HEARD ABOUT THIS--!
WELL!!
PROMISE ME YOU WON'T TELL HER--AND I PROMISE TO-- KEEP AWAY FROM TROUBLE AFTER THIS!
TROUBLE?--- SPELLED "K-I-T-T-Y"? IT'S A DEAL!
PRESENT!'-- --BUT NOT VOTING, BOYS!
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DIXIE DUGAN

A HONEYMOON PREVIEW IS A CUTE IDEA, JUD, BUT YOU NEVER DID SAY WHERE WE'RE GOING
IT'S A SURPRISE
OH--I JUST LOVE SURPRISES, MR. BRADLEY
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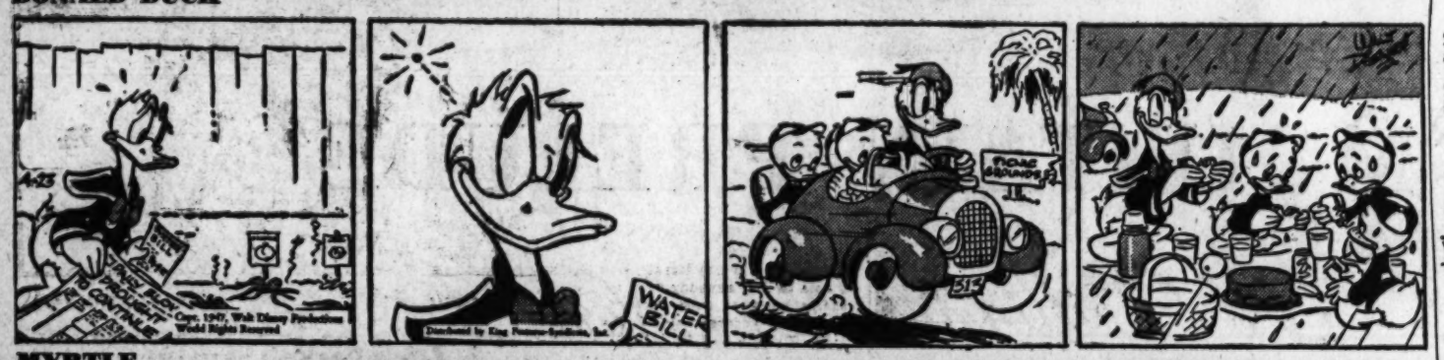
HERE WE ARE, SIR
??--I DON'T KNOW WHETHER I LIKE THIS SURPRISE OR NOT— ARE WE GOING UP?
YEP--ON CLOUD NINE --IT'S MINE
CLOUD 9
OH, JUD!

DONALD DUCK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MYRTLE

OH, MINNIE, I WISH TONIGHT WOULD LAST FOREVER
YES, SLUG
WE HEARD WHAT YOU SAID, SLUG!
AND IT WAS BEAUTIFUL SENTIMENT
AND I MEANT IT, TOO
'CAUSE IN THE MORNING I'VE GOT TO GO TO WORK
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OZARK IKE

OZARK, I GOT TO CONFESS...TH' PITCH THAT FLATTENED YUH AT SPRING TRAININ' WASN'T NO ACCIDENT...
I THREW IT AT YOUR HEAD!
AN' NOW ALL I CAN DO IS SAY I'M SORRY, AN' STICK OUT MY CHIN!... TEE OFF, CHUM... I DESERVE IT!
WHY, SPIKE...LET ME CONGRATULATE YUH ON SOME GREAT SPOT PITCHIN'!... AH DIDN'T KNOW YUH HAD SUCH GOOD CONTROL.
(GULP) THANKS, PAL...
OZARK
NOW I GOTTA REPORT TO TH' DANDELION LEAGUE...SO IF YUH SMELL SMOKE THIS SUMMER, IT'S ONLY OL' SPIKE KLEATS BURNIN' UP THEM BUSHES!
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MARK TRAIL

WELL, MARK, YOU KNOW ALL THE MALONE FAMILY SECRETS NOW...
IF YOU'LL FORGIVE ME, SIR, I THINK YOUR WIFE AND DAUGHTER ARE PRETTY SELFISH!
ED DODD
NOT ONLY THAT, BUT WHAT THEY ARE SPENDING IS ON THEMSELVES... WHAT YOU'RE BUILDING WILL BENEFIT EVERYBODY EVERYWHERE...
ANYHOW YOU'RE GIVING THEM MORE THAN THEY NEED TO LIVE ON....AND IN HIGH STYLE AT THAT!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

KING, IN SPITE OF THE CHARGES...
...THERE ISN'T A MAN ON THE POST WHO WOULD SEE IF YOU CHOSE TO WALK OUT OF HERE!
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IF I WERE OUTSIDE I'D STAND A CHANCE OF CATCHING THE REAL CROOK... BUT I COULDN'T PUT THE GUARDS ON A SPOT LIKE THAT, DOC!
RECKON NOT...HMMM...YOU KNOW, KING... SOME WORKMEN PATCHED A LEAK IN THIS ROOF AND THEIR SCAFFOLD IS STILL UP...I WONDER WHY A GUARD WASN'T PLACED AT THAT LADDER?

Today's Radio Programs

THE WASHINGTON POST
Wednesday, April 23, 1947

WEDNESDAY — WASHINGTON — E.S.T.

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 8:30 Today's Prelude, 6:05 Town Clock, 7:10-9. David Wills, 7:45.	WRC Almanac, 5:30 News, 6, 7, 7:30, 8. Bill Henson, 6:05-9. Weather, 6:30.	News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8. Art Brown, 6:05-9:30.	News, 6, 7, 8. Hugh Guidi, Wake Up With WINX 6:05-9.	News, 6:30, 7, 7:30. 8:15, Hunnicutt, 6-9:30. Devotions, 6:45.	Corn Squeezing, 5:30 7. News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30. CBS World News. Godfrey Schedule, 7:45-9:45.
9 :00 :15 :30 :45	Breakfast Club Don McNeil Jack Owen Sam Cowling	Claude Sweeton Orch. " " News; Nancy Osgood	Musical Clock with Art Brown Shady Valley Folks " " News	News; Symphony Gluck's Ballet Suite (Fiedler)	Mike Hunnicutt Alice Lane " " Open House	News, Mahoney Arthur Godfrey Home Service Dept. " "
10 :00 :15 :30 :45	My True Story " " Crocker Betty Crocker Mag. Listening Post	Katie's Daughter Once Upon Our Time Road of Life Joyce Jordan	Hearts' Desire " " Spice in Life Marian Sexton	News; Music Hall " " " "	(Les Sands) " " Tune Inn Norman Gladney	Janice Gray Heritage Evelyn Winters David Harum
11 :00 :15 :30 :45	Breakfast in Hol'wd " " Ruth Crane " "	Fred Waring " " Jack Berch Lora Lawton	News; Cecil Brown Tell Your Neighbor Easy Aces Tableau by Brito	News; Music in the Air " " " " " "	Tune Inn Norman Gladney Tune Inn Norman Gladney	News; Vern Hanson You're the Top Grand Slam Rosemary
12 :00 :15 :30 :45	News, Evans Ted Malone Kenny Baker Show	News; D. Brinkley Look to This Day Tin Pan Ballet Nancy Osgood	Victor Lindlahr Checkerb'rd Jamboree Ray Henle At Union Station	NEWS ROUNDUP Midday Star Time Luncheon With Alvino Rey	Tello Test Man on Street News; Music Bing Crosby	Kate Smith Aunt Jenny Romance, Helen Trent Our Gal Sunday
1 :00 :15 :30 :45	Backstage Talking Hollywood Story News for Schools Symphony Luncheon	To Music " " Art Van Damme Robert McCormick	Cedric Foster, News Finders Keepers Musical Comedy Quiz Cliff Edwards	News; Serenade Swing Serenade Melodic Moments " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Big Sister Ma Perkins Young Dr. Malone Road of Life
2 :00 :15 :30 :45	Walter Kiernan Accent on Music Bride and Groom " "	Today's Children Women in White Masquerade Light of the World	Queen for a Day " " Harlem Hospitality Club	News; Symphony Prokofieff's Scythian Suite (Chicago Symphony)	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Second Mrs. Burton Perry Mason Lone Journey Rose of My Dreams
3 :00 :15 :30 :45	Ladies Be Seated " " Accent on Music " "	Life Can Be Beautiful Ma Perkins Pepper Young Right to Happiness	Easy Listening (Bob Knight) " " " "	News; Tea for Two " " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Aunt Mary Dr. Paul Date with Jerry Hint Hunt
4 :00 :15 :30 :45	Tommy Bartlett " " News, Evans Accent on Music	Backstage Wife Stella Dallas Lorenzo Jones Young Widow Brown	Erskine Johnson Jerry Sear's Orch. Two Ton Baker Adventure Parade	News; Broadway Bandwagon Music Hall " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	G. E. House Party " " " " ; News Crosby Classics " "
5 :00 :15 :30 :45	Terry & the Pirates Sky King Jack Armstrong Tennessee Jed	When a Girl Marries Portia Faces Life Just Plain Bill Front Page Farrell	Hop Harrigan Superman Captain Midnight Tom Mix	News; Music Hall " " " "	Band of the Day Crooners' Battle Sports; Theater Theater of the Air	School of the Air (Science) Frontiers of Science The Factfinder
6 :00 :15 :30 :45	Evans, Agronsky Stardust, Sports Earl Godwin Singing Sam	News; Leif Eid Portraits in Music Serenade; Bergman Peter Grant	News, Warner; Brott Sports, Brundige Johnson Family Art Brown	NEWS ROUNDUP Bob Wolff, Sports Dinner Concert " "	Melody Lane " " Wakeman; News Supper Club	News; Severeid News, Local & Govt. Sports, Gallaher News, Robert Trout
7 :00 :15 :30 :45	Louise Massey Elmer Davis Lone Ranger " "	Chesterfield Club World News Man at a Grand H. V. Kaltenborn	Fulton Lewis, Jr. Man Behind the Band Leland Stowe Inside of Sports	News; Red Feather Margaret Whiting Across the Footlights " " " "	Romantic Rendezvous Hal Derwin Sings Mark Austad, News Berger; Vandercook	Mystery of the Week Jack Smith Show Romance " "
8 :00 :15 :30 :45	Lum 'n Abner As the Wheels Turn Court of Missing Heirs	Dennis Day " " Great Gildersleeve " "	Crime Club " " Marine Band " "	News; Music Carnival of Music " " " " " "	Veteran Salute Club Calendar News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Jack Carson Show " " Dr. Christian " " ; News
9 :00 :15 :30 :45	Paul Whiteman Hour " " Beulah " "	Duffy's Tavern " " Mr. District Attorney " "	News, Gabriel Heatter Real Life Stories What's the Name of That Song?	News; Symphony Dellos' Piano Concerto (Moiseiwitch)	1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Songs by Sinatra " " Dinah Shore " "
10 :00 :15 :30 :45	Bing Crosby " " Henry Morgan " "	The Big Story " " Kollege of Musical Knowledge	Did Justice Triumph? " " Quiz of Two Cities " "	Post Preview Bobby Sherwood's Or. Music for Dreaming " "	Around the Town Pharmacy Week News; Juke Box Review	The Whistler " " Information Please " "
11 :00 :15 :30 :45	News, Evans Hour of Dreams Lee Drayton Ray Michael	News; Night Cap Richard Harkness Victor Lombard's Orchestra	Voice of Washington Fulton Lewis, Jr. Sweet Music " " ; News	News and Sports Dance Serenade " " " "	1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	News; Collingwood Sports, McDonald Moondial Eddie Gallaher

TODAY'S RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

Gluck's Ballet Suite. Boston Pops. Also Symphony No. 35 by Mozart. WINX—9:05 a. m.

Displaced Persons Legislation—Helen Shuford, Citizens' Committee for Displaced Persons. WQQW—11 a. m.

"Infinite Variety"—special Shakespearean Memorial Show dramatizing his life. Also excerpts from his plays. Original BBC production. WQQW—2 p. m.

Nats Baseball Game. WPIK and WWDC-FM—2:25 p. m.

"Rockets Away"—history and future of rocket projectiles. WTOP—5 p. m.

Frank Gervasi, Collier's correspondent, is interviewed. WQQW—6:29 p. m.

Leland Stowe begins news commentary series. WOL—7:30 p. m.

Judith Evelyn and Karl Swenson star in "There's Always Juliette," first of new "Romance" dramatic series. WTOP—7:30 p. m.

Irving Berlin is guest of Frank Sinatra. WTOP—9 p. m.

Archie campaigns for post of assistant fish and game warden of Third ave. on "Duffy's Tavern." WRC—9 p. m.

Dellos' Piano Concerto, played by Moiseiwitch. WINX—9:05 p. m.

Burl Ives blends a ballad with Bing Crosby. Les Paul, guitarist, also is a guest. WMAL—10 p. m.

Jackie Robinson, Dodgers' first baseman, and Dr. Rufus R. Clement, president of Atlanta University, are guest experts on "Information Please." WTOP—10:30 p. m.

Mystery and Murder. WOL—8 p. m. WRC—9:30 p. m. WOL and WTOP—10 p. m.

WQQW 570

7:00 a.m. Good Morning	9:40 a.m. Concert Hall	12:00 noon Sibelius' Symph. No. 4	3:00 p.m. Speaking of Music
7:55 a.m. News, Ray Wilson	10:00 a.m. Beethoven's Sym. No. 6	1:00 p.m. News and Opinion	4:00 p.m. Chamber Music
8:00 a.m. Ravel's "Escales"	11:00 a.m. Woman's World	1:15 p.m. Folk Music	4:45 p.m. News; Martin
8:55 a.m. News	11:30 a.m. Herbert Music	1:30 p.m. Waltz Time	5:00 p.m. Musicale; News
9:00 a.m. Music Room	11:45 a.m. Instrumentally Yours	1:45 p.m. Chapter-a-Day	6:00 p.m. Dinner Music
9:30 a.m. Shopping Service	11:55 a.m. News	2:00 p.m. Shakespeare Memorial	6:40 p.m. Program Preview

FM

WINX-FM 92.9 and 44.7
WINX-FM duplicates WINX programs between 9 a. m. and 11:15 p. m.

WWDC-FM 100.9
WWDC-FM duplicates WWDC programs from 7:30 a. m. to 11 p. m. except for Nats game at 2:25 p. m. and music at 8:35 p. m.

WASH-FM 98.9
WASH-FM operates from 2:53 to 11 p. m. Opening with story, 5:15. Books Bring Adventure, 6:45. Weather, 2:55, story, 5:15. Dental Dramas, 6:45. Weather, 2:55, 7:55, 11. Music, 3, 4:30, 5:45, 6, 7, 7:45. AAF Orchestra, 8:30.

Portraits

By James J. Metcalfe

Close to you

The breath of spring is in the air . . . And every flower new . . . And spring itself is everywhere . . . When I am close to you . . . The morning sun is warm and bright . . . The fields are fresh and sweet . . . And all the silver stars of night . . . Are jewels at our feet . . . The world is only what it seems . . . And time is standing still . . . While you and I divide the dreams . . . Our fortune will fulfill . . . The world is like a little song . . . That touches every tree . . . And life is wonderful as long . . . As you belong to me . . . I love the miracle of spring . . . With flowers dipped in dew . . . And truly it is everything . . . When I am close to you.

Life's LITTLE DRAMAS as Told to BART HODGES

BARON SILVERCRUYS
Ambassador From Belgium

* * *

In 1925 I came to the United States as a member of the Belgium Debt Mission to negotiate a workable plan for the funding of Belgium's war debt to the United States.

The late Senator Reed Smoot of Utah dominated the American end of the discussion. He was a grand old man, conscientious and fair. He insisted upon settling every phase of the agreement by Belgium's "capacity to pay." "Capacity to pay" became the theme of the conference. Senator Smoot used it as the answer to every question.

The Ambassador celebrated the happy ending of negotiations with a dinner party. During the evening I was chatting with Senator Smoot when one of our Belgium delegates, more a financial expert than a diplomat, approached the Senator and questioned:

"You're from Utah . . . a Mormon, are you not?"

"Yes," replied the Senator.

"Tell me, Senator," our delegate said, "do you believe in a man's having many wives?"

The Senator answered with a sly wink:

"I'll tell you, my friend. It all depends on your capacity to pay."

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Just Hearsay

"Run and call a doctor, Junior—I'm going to give your father a penny for his thoughts!"

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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

MOST important voting record in this decade—perhaps several decades—was made April 7 when 414 members of the House of Representatives stood up to be counted for or against the Hartley labor bill, thereby ringing the death knell on the Wagner Act, labor's magna charta.

Patman

Chambers of commerce, business lobbies and union leaders will be thumbing through the record vote on that crucial bill for some time to come in order to decide whether to support or oppose candidates for relection. So much heat was applied on both sides and such soul-searching was experienced by conscientious Congressmen that one man, Fred Norman of Washington, died of worry.

Careful scrutiny of the historic labor bill vote reveals two significant things:

1. Of the 22 Republicans who had the nerve to buck their leaders and go down the line against the labor bill, the majority were war veterans newly elected to Congress.

2. Of the 93 Democrats who deserted their leaders and voted against labor, a considerable number had consistent New Deal records and heretofore had been considered strong Rooseveltians. Men like Lyndon Johnson, John Lyle and Wright Patman of Texas, Bonner of North Carolina, Cooper and Gore of Tennessee, all bolted the Roosevelt-Truman platform and, despite a certain veto by the President, voted against labor.

Reason, of course, was the fact that antilabor sentiment in their districts was too tough—which illustrates labor leaders' worst mistake. Not only did they overplay their hand, but when labor legislation came before Congress for certain passage, they refused to go along on even mild reforms. They overplayed their hands so badly that some of their old friends figured it meant political suicide to support them.

Southerners Stick

ON the other hand, a considerable number of Southern Democrats from districts where labor is none too popular stuck by their previous prolabor Roosevelt records and voted against the Hartley bill. The people in Sam Rayburn's Texas district, for instance, have no great love for labor. But Sam stood up and was counted against killing labor's magna charta. With him were such men as Ewing Thomason of El Paso, Thomas of Houston, Combs from martin Dies' old Texas district, Boggs of Louisiana, Lanham of Georgia, Jones and Manasco of Alabama, Smathers of Miami, Fla., Flannagan of Virginia, Kefauver of Tennessee, Cooley of North Carolina, and Spence of Kentucky.

For many of these, a prolabor vote is anything but popular with the folks who have the power to re-elect or reject in 1948. However, in addition to their personal convictions, here is one factor which some were gambling on: The political pendulum in the USA swings rapidly.

American labor history has almost invariably followed the British—usually about 25 years behind. And in Britain, where the political pendulum also oscillates rapidly, it was a fact that as late as 1927 British labor was all washed up. In the general strike, which attempted to paralyze all England, labor had badly overplayed its hand. The miners' union, which began the strike, was almost wiped out, and British conservatives settled down to a long, uninterrupted rule. But they, too, overplayed their hand.

And just three years later—1930—a Labor Prime Minister, Ramsay MacDonald, was ensconced in No. 10 Downing st.

Again, the political pendulum swung, and a few years later the conservatiye Baldwin government came back into power.

Today, 10 years later, a full Labor government is in the saddle.

The political pendulum may swing the same way in the United States. That was why certain Southern Democrats stood up last week to be counted for labor—despite reaction from home.

22 Lone Republicans

Even more interesting, however, was the line-up of the 22 Republican bolters. They were under terrific pressure. Not only had the Republican leaders urged and demanded that there be a unified party vote, but the 22 bolters were bombarded by business leaders and Chambers of Commerce at home. Also they knew how forgetful labor can be—as witness the letter of indorsement once given by AFL President William Green to New Jersey's Congressman Fred Hartley, author of the tough labor bill.

Here is a brief check of the background of the 22 Republicans who voted for labor, despite this pressure:

Homer Angell, 10 years in Congress, comes from Portland, Oreg., where labor is strong.

Runt Bishop, eighth year in Congress, comes from southern Illinois coal fields.

John Brophy, first term, defeated an alleged Communist candidate in Milwaukee. However, he voted exactly as his opponent would have.

James Patterson, Marine Corps officers, just elected, from industrial Connecticut, where labor and business interests are both strong. Labor voted against him last November, but he supported it in April—which took courage.

Jack Javits, Chemical Warfare officer, just elected from New York City. Has already shown fearless, independent voting record.

Ivor Fenton, a doctor with long record in World War I, eighth year in Congress, comes from Pennsylvania anthracite coal region.

Mitchell Jenkins, colonel with General Stillwell in Burma, just elected from Pennsylvania anthracite region.

James Scoblick, a fruit grower from near Scranton, Pa., recently elected.

Howes Meade, a young naval officers, just elected from Wentucky coal fields.

Carroll Reece's Successor

DAYTON PHILLIPS, Army veteran, just elected from Elizabethton, Tenn. He replaced Carroll Reece, now chairman of the Republican National Committee, who has urged a tough labor bill. Phillips, however, had the courage to ignore his predecessor in Congress and voted for labor.

Charles Russell of Ely, Nev., just elected. Despite the fact that big cattle ranchers dominate Republican Nevada and the fact that Russell's father is a big cattleman, he voted for labor.

Homer Jones, just elected from Bremerton, Wash., served in Navy in both wars.

Thor Tollesson, former prosecuting atterney of Tacoma, Wash., just elected to Congress.

Melvin Snyder, an Army colonel, just elected from the West Virginia regions.

Robert Twyman, former naval commander, just elected from Chicago, comes from wealthy business background and is chairman of the Thomas Hoist Co.

In addition, the following Republicans who have long prolabor records voted against the Hartley bill: Dick Welch of San Francisco, Gordon Canfield of Patterson, N. J., William Lemke of North Dakota and Fred Smith, former mayor of President Harding's home town, Marion, Ohio.

These are the 22 Republicans, who for local reasons or perhaps because they remembered that it was only 10 short years since bloody Harlan County, Republic Steel's Chicago massacre, Andrew Mellon's coal and iron police and Henry Ford's strong-arm men, decided that even though labor had overplayed its hand, Congress should not remedy one wrong by committing another.

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15c Could End Phone Strike, Says Beirne

By Sam Stavisky
Post Reporter

The leader of the 340,000 striking telephone workers declared last night that the nation-wide walkout "could be settled in 24 hours" on the basis of the 15-cents-an-hour "peace package" recently agreed to in other major industries.

Joseph A. Beirne, president of the National Federation of Telephone Workers, asserted that settlement would quickly follow "if the telephone companies would follow the example of other big corporations."

The statement, in effect, made it clear that the strike, entering its seventeenth day today, could be ended so far as the union is concerned along the lines of the pattern laid down in the past several days by U. S. Steel, Westinghouse, General Motors and others. Key to the pattern is a "peace package" of a 15-cents-an-hour pay increase in wages and fringe benefits.

Phone Workers Asked 30 Cents

Hitherto, Beirne and the 49-man NFTW policy committee have steadfastly stuck to their original demand of $12 a week increase—amounting to 30 cents an hour.

Beirne said yesterday that he had been told just before the strike by C. G. Craig, vice president of American Telephone & Telegraph Co., "We won't move on wages until the pattern is set. And steel is an important factor in any pattern." The AT&T is the parent company of the Bell System, whose subsidiaries employ a great majority of the striking telephone workers.

But instead of settling on the steel pattern, Beirne declared, the Bell System is now adopting "union-busting tactics." The New Jersey and the Northwestern Bell companies, he charged, have offered to make wage proposals to the telephone unions in their area, provided that the unions withdraw from the NFTW.

There was no comment immediately available from the accused companies.

Utility Commissions Cool

Meanwhile, NFTW headquarters here disclosed it had received mostly negative replies to letters sent to all State public utility commissions, asking for a statement recognizing an increase in wages as a factor in phone-rate hikes.

The union letter urged the public utility commissions to issue the statement to each local telephone company and to AT&T. James H. Flanagan, chairman of the District Public Utilities Commission, replied that the D. C. commission had turned down the request as "inappropriate."

Most of the other commissions answered in the same way, an NFTW spokesman said.

"It appears the commissions misconstrued our letter to be an appeal for rate increases," the spokesman said. "Actually, we only wanted to break down the companies' argument that any wage increases they might give us would adversely affect their rate petitions."

End Not in Sight

Three was nothing to indicate yesterday that the strike might be ended this week. A parley—the 25th—was held here by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Co. and the District Federation of Telephone Workers, but without result. Both sides agreed to meet again Friday.

J. B. Morrison, C&P vice president, annuonced 875 non-supervisory personnel were now on the job, as against 179 on the first day of the strike. The two local unions insist the bulk of their 6000 members are still on the picket lines. The pickets were reinforced yesterday by a "flying squadron" of strikers, which toured the city by bus and auto.

Other developments in the nation-wide strike yesterday:

In Minneapolis, the Northwestern Telephone Co. closed down the business exchanges in protest against mass picketing. Through intervention of the mayor, an agreement was believed to have been made for permitting skeleton supervisory crews to enter the plant. However, although the members of the Northwestern Union of Telephone Workers withdrew the picket lines, the allied long lines workers continued their chain-step picketing.

The New Jersey State Legislature approved a softened version of the 12-day old law designed to curb strikes in public utilities, but defied by the striking telephone workers. The amendments were offered to overcome the objections of labor, which had denounced the original act "as the worst labor legislation ever enacted by any State."

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The Michigan natural gas production set a new record of 23,774,495,000 cubic feet in 1946.

Potomac Pollution Causes Big Fisheries' Loss

Pollution of the Potomac River and Chesapeake Bay is causing a loss of about $1,500,000 to fishermen each year, the Senate Public Works Committee was told yesterday.

Milton C. James, assistant director of the Fish and Wildlife Service, declared "there is urgent need for immediate and concerted action" to end pollution. He said at present the situation was "appalling."

Pollution has made useless 40,000 acres of "good shell-fish bottom" in the Chesapeake, he declared, and the damage is likely to increase.

James praised the Taft-Barkley bill which authorizes appropriations of 100 millions each year and provides legal action by the Surgeon General to stop pollution within two years after a warning has been issued. States would add 200 millions each year as their share of costs.

Senator Robert A. Taft (R., Ohio) told the committee he expected major anti-pollution projects to cost about three billion in 10 years. The Federal Government would provide one third un-

Dr. Thomas A. Parran, surgeon der provisions of the bill.
general of the Public Health Service, declared that the annual volume of pollution dumped into streams was the equivalent of eight million dead mules, each weighing 1100 pounds.

His office, Dr. Parran said, has already recieved requests for helping in the "disposal problem of the atomic age."

Young Atom-Minded Staff Created by Gen. Eisenhower

New York, April 22 (INS).—In the all-important matter of atomic weapons and their use, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, chief of staff, has sidestepped the counsel of his elderly general staff and has created a young atom-minded staff answerable only to him, and to U. S. scientists.

It can be counted upon to speed up what David Lilienthal has called our retarded progress in the universal atomic race—both military and peaceful.

Many of the elderly officers remain in authority under Eisenhower. Normally, their superior rank could thwart or delay younger officers who have been able to break with archaic military tradition and steep themselves in atomic lore. Eisenhower, in effect, is giving atom-wise lieutenants precedence over rock-ribbed generals who feel in their heart of hearts that military scienece reached its crest at Gettysburg.

General Eisenhower's job is to bring about the wedding of oil and water, the melding of his young atomic officers and the important nuclear physicists who instinctively mistrust all things military.

100 Per Cent Cooperation Difficult

To date, nothing has been heard from the scientists.

Perhaps it would be wise for the parties concerned to forget the past. Previous efforts to bring about a 100 per cent alliance between the military and those cloistered men—who will live and die content that science must be universal, not national—have been fruitless.

Reasoning men on both sides still wonder how the A-bomb ever managed to get built in the comparatively short time of six years which elaphed from the time Professor Einstein, a pacifist, first mentioned the word "bomb" to Roosevelt in connection with atomic energy, and the Hiroshima and Nagasaki bombs were started from Tinian for their frightful destinations.

Maj. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, who took charge of the long gestation period of the A-bomb in 1942, was forced to hold the sandbag of treason over the heads of many of the nuclear physicists, to keep their mouths closed and their movements discreet for the remaining three years.

Scientists Present Problem

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